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TIDAL WAVE OF DEATH.

Levee Breaks and Shawneetown, Ill., is Completely Inundated.

The Loss of Life is Believed to Have Been Five Hundred.

Survivors Are Without Shelter and Have Very Little Food.

High Water Has Practically Cut Off Communication With the Devastated Town and Work of Relief is Greatly Hampered--Governor Tanner Takes Prompt Measures of Relief--Details of Disaster Hard to Obtain.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., April 4.—Early last evening the levee at Shawneetown, Ill., broke above the town, and from all information that can be secured here is is learned that a great part of the place has been destroyed and a large number of people, estimated from 200 to 500, have been drowned.

Shawneetown is seventy-five miles below Evansville on the Ohio river. It is situated in a valley of extremely low land, with hills skirting it in the rear and a twenty-five foot levee in front running from hill to hill. The town is very much in the position of a fortified city, and when the levee gave way a mile above town, under the pressure of the very high river, the water shot through a twenty-foot opening and struck the place like a hurricane, sweeping everything before it.

Houses were turned and tossed about like boxes. The people had no warning of the break and for that reason many were caught. Those at home sought refuge in second stories and on housetops. Those in the streets were carried before the avalanche of water and probably a majority were drowned.

A survivor came from the place by skiff to a telephone several miles away and asked aid from Evansville. He said more than two hundred people were drowned and he had reason to believe the number would reach five hundred.

The levee broke on the left side of Shawneetown about 5 o'clock. Twenty minutes afterwards the town was flooded and a few buildings were thrown down by the force of the water when it broke through the levee.

The roar of the flood alarmed the people and all who could took refuge in the school house, court house and Riverside hotel, substantial buildings which it was believed could resist the force of the water.

The town is flooded to a depth of ten or fifteen feet on the Main street. So far as known only the proprietors of two clothing stores succeeded in saving any of their stock.

NEWS ONLY BY TELEPHONE.

CARMI, Ill., April 4.—It is now estimated that the number of drowned at Shawneetown is 150. Shawneetown citizens have telephoned Carmi to telegraph to Governor Tanner to send food, supplies, coffins and tents.

Shawnee is completely cut off from telegraph or rail communication and news can be transmitted only by telephone from a point eight or ten miles away.

RELIEF TRAIN STARTED.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 4.—A special train will leave here for Shawneetown on the Chicago and Alton at 2 o'clock this p. m. with a supply of provisions, blankets and tents. It was the intention at first to send all the caskets that could be obtained. Only a few, however, were found available, and Adjutant General Reece wired a St. Louis coffin factory to immediately load a car with caskets. The car will be attached to the special train at East St. Louis. About three freight-car loads of provisions will be attached to the train.

PEOPLE WERE AT CHURCH.

Flood Swept Over the Town Like Water Through a Mill Race.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., April 4.—The Louisville and Nashville railroad accomodation train, from southern Illinois, arrived here at 10:30 o'clock. It was expected many people from Shawneetown would be aboard, but it is learned that the trains on this branch have for a week proceeded no further than Eldora, ten miles away.

The trainmen bring the report that the family of Sheriff Galloway was completely wiped out by the flood.

It is reported that the levee broke while the people were at church and that many were drowned because there was no warning, the flood sweeping over the town like water through a mill race.

C. L. Stores, who had charge of the provision boat from Evansville, telephones from Mount Vernon, Ind., that he has just returned from Shawheetown. Mayor Darney now estimates the loss of life at 100 people.

There is no list of names prepared as yet. He confirms the report that Sheriff Galloway's family is drowned.

The bodies were recovered at 10 o'clock this morning all clasped in each other's embrace. The levee broke on the north side and without warning, catching the people like rats in a trap. The entire town is submerged from ten to twenty feet. The people are huddled in the Riverside hotel, court house and school house, all of which are two-story buildings.

Evansville's provision boat arrived early this morning. Mayor Akin's dispatch was read to those assembled in the Riverside hotel amid breathless silence.

When it was completed the people shouted "God bless Evansville and her mayor."

The ladies wept aloud and tears streamed down the faces of the men. Only two negroes are reported drowned and they were very old people.

CALL FOR RELIEF.

Governor Tanner Responds Promptly With All Means at Hand.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 4.—Governor Tanner today received the following message relative to the Shawneetown disaster:

"RIDGEWAY, Ill., April 4.

"To John R. Tanner, Governor:

"The ground gave way under the levee at 4:15 p. m., and the loss of life is nearly one-fourth of our population. We have no provisions to feed our people for one meal. We need tents, clothing for the living, burial caskets to bury the dead. Help us at once.

"D. M. CARNEY, Mayor."

"CARMI, Ill., April 4.

"To John R. Tanner, Governor:

"Mr. George Geotzman, a reliable merchant of Shawneetown, just now confirms report of levee break last night. Says the mayor sent to Ridgeway, the nearest point of communication, to get a message in his name to you to send tents, provisions and burial caskets immediately via. East St. Louis and Enfield, where a train from Ridgeway will be in waiting. Geotzman says the scene is worse than Johnstown. Four hundred are estimated drowned and all property lost and remainder of people on levee and house tops and rain adds to distress. Answer me here and I will communicate by telephone.

"JOHN M. CREBS,
"President White County Telephone Co."

Governor Tanner, after consultation with Dr. F. W. Wines, secretary of the state board of charities, sent the following message:

"W. S. Phillips, President Ridgeway Bank, Ridgeway, Ill.:

"Hon. Fred Wines, secretary of the state board of charities, and Miss Julia Lathrop will leave on first train for Shawneetown. The doctor represents me in caring for the sufferers. Co-operate with him in forming relief committee. I authorize you to draw upon me for $3,000. Have issued proclamation appealing to the public for relief of the flood sufferers. Am preparing to send a train with tents to shelter and accommodate 1,000 people; three hundred blankets and twelve hundred emergency rations.

"JOHN R. TANNER,
"Springfield. Governor.

RELIEF ON THE WAY.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 4.—Dr. F. H. Wines, secretary state board of charities, left here this forenoon with a special train over the Chicago and Alton for Shawneetown via St. Louis, from which place he reaches Shawneetown over the Louisville and Nashville railroad. Dr. Wines takes the tents and rations of the Illinois National guard for 1,000 people.

INDIANA'S WAR FUND

State Has Plenty of Cash for the Purpose.

An Extra Session of the Legislature Would Not be Necessary in Case of War.

INDIANAPOLIS, April 4.—In case war were declared and Indiana were called on for troops the state is in excellent financial condition for such an emergency. It would not be necessary to call a special session of the legislature. Governor Mount said last night that as he understood the situation all money not otherwise appropriated would be available for a war emergency. In June, if no emergency arises, there will be in the state treasury about $400,000, which will be applied on the state debt. Of this amount $100,000 goes into the sinking fund, is sacred to that purpose and could not be drawn on. Notwithstanding there would be available a sum large enough to meet emergencies for some time to come. The governor thinks that if there were to be a war of great proportions, calling for the enlistment and arming of many men, the funds available might be exhausted. This is of course dependent on the magnitude of the war, if there shall be one. But even if the available funds were exhausted the governor does not think it would be necessary to call a special session of the legislature, as he is of the opinion the state executive would have the right to borrow money if that were deemed more expedient than to call the legislature together. The condition would be somewhat like that during the civil war when Governor Morton borrowed money, except that at that time there was in session a legislature which refused to authorize the loan. He borrowed the money and waited until a loyal legislature reimbursed him. Governor Mount is confident no such condition would exist now, as the people of the state are anxious to do their share in sustaining the reputation of the nation and the regular session of the legislature would doubtless approve the administration in a war loan. In view of the fact that the regular session of the legislature will occur in such a short time after it might be necessary to borrow, the governor does not appear to think it would be necessary to call a special session.

"Of course, those things are questions to be decided as the emergency arises," said he. "My understanding is that the state has ample funds for emergencies and that there would be no trouble in raising more if it were necessary."

THE POWERS MOVE.

Exchange of Notes Concerning Mediation.

It is Definitely Learned in Washington That European Nations Will Tender Good Offices--The Latest.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—3:10 P. M.—It has just been learned here definitely that an exchange of notes between the great powers of Europe has begun concerning mediation on the Spanish-American question. At least two of the embassies in Washington have received information that this exchange is now in progress, but no definite instructions have been received by the diplomatic representatives here.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—Conservative senators who were at the capitol early today announced that the outlook in the Cuban matter appeared very ominous to them. One of them, who has been especially optimistic and anxious to avert war, stated that everything possible had been done and failed and that the president had decided to inform congress definitely that he had exhausted all diplomatic resources to settle the Cuban question and to leave the matter to congress. There had been a hope, he said, that Spain might be controlled by the financial interests, but he thought the time had gone by for that and that the people of Spain could not be restrained.

RECORD BREAKERS.

Rev. Leeper and Dr. Wenger Make a Quick Trip Across the Atlantic.

THE SENTINEL is in receipt of a letter from Dr. Wenger, dated March 22, on board the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse. Rev. Leeper was also on board the ship, which landed in Bremen the day the letter was written, having made the trip from New York to England in five days and seventeen hours. The Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse is 649 feet long, has fifty boilers, sixty-four engines, consumes 500 tons of coal per day and employs 470 seamen and can carry 1,500 people.

The Fort Wayne tourists report pleasant weather and plenty to eat, meals being served three times a day and lunch at 10, 3 and 6 o'clock.

ACTION OUTLINED.

Probable Scope of President's Message.

Document Will go to Congress Wednesday.

It Will Demand Independence for Cuba.

Representative Grout Introduces Cuban Joint Resolution in the House--Foreign Affairs Committees.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 4.—It is altogether probable that the president's message to congress on the the Cuban situation will not be sent in before Wednesday.

What specific recommendations the president will make in this message can not be stated at this time, nor is it certain that the president himself has yet fully worked out all the details.

The general features of the message, however, have been decided upon.

The president, it is learned, will favor a recognition of independence and forcible intervention, if necessary, to prevent further hostilities in Cuba.

Spain's answer in effect will be declared to be unsatisfactory and to leave little or no reasonable ground for hope that a satisfactory settlement of the Cuban question is at all likely to be reached through diplomatic agencies.

The president will favor intervention and his message will make no recommendations or suggestions in conflict with that idea. The disaster to the Maine will be prominently brought to the fore and will be treated in a vigorous manner.

The whole subject, it is believed, will be discussed in a spirt of patriotism that must commend itself to the entire American people. This policy, however, it is said, does not necessarily involve war, but leaves the determination of that question to Spain herself.

Without something, now unexpected, happens within a comparatively short time the indications point to at least a show of force against Havana.

The published report that the pope has offered to mediate between this government and Spain with a view to a peaceful solution of the difficulty is again officially denied. This government, it is stated, cannot under any circumstances accept mediation or interference from any foreign power, nor up to this time has any been proffered.

GROUT'S MEASURE.

Introduces In the House a Cuban Independence Resolution.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—In the house Mr. Grout (rep., Vt.) today introduced the following:

"Joint resolution recognizing the independence of the republic of Cuba, and for other purposes:

"Resolved by the senate and house of representatives that the United States of America recognizes the republic of Cuba as a free and independent state;

"That the president is hereby authorized to expend out of the appropriation made for the national defense in the act approved March 9, 1898, not exceeding $500,000 to provide non-combatant Cubans with the necessary food, raiment and medicine for their immediate relief from starvation; also necessary implements of agriculture and seeds for planting a crop;

"Provided, that the relief herein authorized to non-comabtant Cubans shall be extended only through duly authorized agents of the United States; and to this end the president is authorized to request the co-operation of the proper officers of Spain in the island of Cuba."

Mr. Grout said that he believed the president's message would go beyond a resolution of this kind.

BEHIND LOCKED DOORS.

House Committee on Foreign Affairs Have Important Meeting.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—When the house committee on foreign affairs went into session today all the doors were ordered locked and no cards were allowed to be taken into members.

Every member of the committee was pledged to secrecy before the committee adjourned.

One of the republican members, however, said, in response to persistent inquiries:

"We did nothing."

The committee will meet again tomorrow. Members of the committee do not expect anything to be done in the house today.

It was stated that the meeting was of considerable importance. Chairman Adams informed the committee that the president would soon communicate to congress his views on the Cuban question and that action in advance of his message would be premature and extremely inadvisable.

Some of the democratic members of the committee demanded to know when the message would be sent in, and Mr. Adams said that Wednesday at the outside, but he hoped that it would be sent tomorrow. The question of treating the Maine as a separate incident was also considered. On this subject there was divergent opinion.

It is understood that the purpose of the meeting is to prepare and report in accordance with the recommendations of the president, if those recommendations are sufficiently developed, and the message sure to come in tomorrow. It is the desire of the committee to be ready to report immediately following the reading of the message, whether it comes Tuesday or Wednesday.

THE MAINE DISASTER

Will Be Distinct in Senate Foreign Affairs Committee's Report.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—The senate committee on foregn relations resumed its sitting today. The committee has arrived at definite conclusion as to the resolutions it will recommend, and Senator Davis has prepared the report to accompany the resoluions. This report will deal with the situation in vigorous language, and it is understood that much will be made in it of the Maine disaster.

The committee has accepted the finding of the court of inquiry so far as it goes, but has exercised the prerogative of extending the inquiry and of drawing conclusions in advance of those withdrawn by the Maine court. This report will be in the nature of an addresss to the country, in justification of the resolutions to be reported by the committee.

AN ACT OF WAR.

Senator Perkins so Declares the Destruction of the Maine.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—The capitol was jammed today with people interested in Cuban affairs. The Chandler resolution calling for consular correspondence went over, on motion of Mr. Davis, chairman of the foreign relations committee, until Wednesday and the Quay independence resolution followed.

Senator Perkins, of California, in a speech on the Cuban question, declared that the blowing up of the Maine by the Spanish officials was an act of war and he believed it was so regarded by nations of the world.

THE PAPAL EFFORT.

The Manner in Which Leo's Offices Were Tendered.

It Was Represented to the Pope That His Mediation Would be Acceptable to President McKinley.

MADRID, April 4.—1:20 P. M.—The correspondent here of the Associated Press, has just had an interview with a high personage of great authority who cleared up many discrepancies in previous reports, showing just how the papal intervention occurred.

Unfortunately, the name of this high personage cannot be quoted, but, no one is better qualified to speak with knowledge of the subject. This minister said:

"There is no papal telegram whatever. What happened was that the Spanish ambassador at the vatican was approached by Cardinal Rampolla (the papal secretary of state), who told him the president of the United Sates had allowed it to be understood that papal intervention would be acceptable. The Spanish ambassador wired here to that effect, and thereupon we indicated that through having sent a categorical reply to President McKinley, the terms having previously been conceded to the last point consistent with Spain's honor, we were certain the pope would respect the rights and honor of Spain, and agreed to his intervention.

"It was impossible for our regular army, fighting rebels, to agree to offer an armistice at the suggestion of a certain foreign power, but when the father of Christendom, without material force, but with vast moral power, offered intervention, we could not refuse accepting, knowing well that reliance might be placed upon his excellent judgment.

"So, not an armistice, but a truce—a truce of God—has been agreed upon. This, however, requires action upon the part of the United States—consequential action to our concession. The rebels have been, designedly we believe, assisted and encouraged by the presence of American warships in the neighborhood of the island.

"A continuance of this would militate against the pope's good offices, and against the hopes of peace.

"We know President McKinley has worked for peace; but an influence has been growing like a rising tide and it is now a question whether any barrier or embankment he would set across its progress would be strong enough to withstand its force.

"Spain has shown her willingness to secure peace by concessions to the last point consistent with her national honor.

"The future depends upon the power of the American government in controlling hostile public opinion."

MEDIATION OF POPE.

Nothing Known in Washington of the Step.

Unequivocal Denial From the Administration.

The Story That Was Sent Out From Madrid.

It is Pronounced a Spanish Roorback--President's Message Will go to Congress Wednesday, it is Believed.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—President McKinley was up early today and in readiness to take up the serious work of the day.

The past few days have been very fatiguing to him and he has shown to some extent the effect of the numerous conferences that have occupied much of his time and the long deliberations preliminary to the labors of framing the eagerly awaited message to congress.

Today he appeared to be feeling well and moved about briskly with a cheerful countenance.

Assistant Secretary Day was the first public man to appear at the white house. He came about 9 o'clock and remained some time. Representative Grout, of Vermont, came very early by appointment with the president.

The interview between the president and Representative Grout lasted only a few minutes but it was long enough to allow a discussion of the situation and an outline of what General Grout proposed to do in several particulars at the opening of congress today. General Grout has drafted a resolution and a bill for introduction in the house today. One of them calls for the absolute removal of the Spanish flag from the island the recognition of the republic of Cuba and the distribution by this government of supplies to be sent by this country and paid for out of the $50,000,000 fund now at the disposal of the president.

The other is a bill appropriating $1,000,000 to raise the wreck of the Maine to ascertain in detail exactly what occurred when it was blown up. Chairman Cannon, of the house committee on appropriations, and Chairman Dingley, of the ways and means committee, were with the president for a few minutes. He congratulated the president on his good spirits, and advising him that the committee met today and asked if there was anything that he wished to communicate.

The president, however, had nothing to submit at this time, although he spoke in general terms of the requirements that war would precipitate on the country.

Senator Gray, of Delaware, a leading member of the committee on foreign relations, was closeted with the president some time and talked over the situation at some length.

Major Heistand, the president's military aide, and Representative Barrett, of Massachusetts, were at the white house for a little while during the early hours, but neither had a consultation with the executive.

Representative Barrett said he believed the best solution of the whole affair would be to submit to congress a proposition for the recognition of a republic.

That he advocated as a simple step on which congress would immediately act, and he expressed the belief that the recognition would work out its own ends.

The official statement emanating from the foreign office at Madrid as to papal mediation has received an unquivocal denial from the administration. Several persons who conferred with the president in the course of the day inquired about it and received the response that if the pope contemplates mediation this government knows nothing of it.

The chairman of one of the most important committees in congress, just after emerging from the executive chambers, promptly stamped the spanish statement of mediation between Spain and the United States as a Madrid roorback.

"Why should the pope mediate?" he suggested, "There is nothing to mediate. I don't believe the step is contemplated. Why, the Diety is the only one who should be recognized to step in between the two. Why, I regarded the statement in such light that it never occurred to me even to mention it."

This member like others referred to mediation between the United States and not between Spain and the insurgents, the latter being a matter with which this country has no concern.

A leading administration member of congress, after a close conference at the white house today said:

"The message will go into congress about Wednesday. The president has taken a very firm and determined attitude and he means to carry out that policy to the letter. The president intends to recognize Cuban independence and may go further than that, and propose intervention.

"This is his policy and it will be disclosed in the official action very shortly."

THE MADRID STORY.

Some Details of the Alleged Mediation of the Pope.

MADRID, Sunday, April 3.—8:30 p. m.—(Delayed in transmission.)—Events are moving rapidly and the best informed people here believe an armistice between the Spaniards and Cubans will be proclaimed within two days.

The pope, it now appears, sent an eloquent telegram to the queen regent urging Spain to grant an armistice in Cuba, with the view of allowing negotiations to be carried on between the insurgents and the Cuban authorities for the early conclusion of a permanent peace.

The pope dwelt on the suffering in Cuba and urged that her majesty take action on humane and not on political grounds.

The Pope added that "as the father of all the faithful," he could not intervene unless a stop was put to the "shedding of blood of the people who are God's sons."

Therefore, he asks for a suspension of hostilities.

Previous to taking this action, it is added, the pope, through a representative at Washington, asked President McKinley if it would be agreeable to him should the pope advise the queen regent to grant an armistice and it is understood the president expressed willingness that the pope should do anything in his power.

Since then the extraordinary activity of the ambassadors has been noted and it is claimed, as a result to all of the representations made to Spain on the subject, Senor Moret, the minister for the colonies who, throughout has been anxious to do anything to preserve peace, consistant with what he conceives to be Spain's honor, had an interview with the United States minister, General Stewart L. Woodford today (Sunday), at which he expressed Spain's willingness to grant an immediate armistice.

He pointed out that the only condition Spain asks in return is one "which America would grant even if unasked," and refers only to "her action after Spain proclaims the armistice."

The United States minister was busy at the legation all day long, but the correspondent of the Associated Press saw Senor Moret at the colonial office Sunday evening. He confirmed the announcement made of the pope's mediation between Spain and the Cubans, and added that the suggestion did not come from the United States government, but from the pope direct. He added:

"I cannot say anything more on the subject as the matter is unsettled pending an answer from the United States."

Senor Moret's manner as well as that of General Woodford, conveyed the impression that they both believed that peace, for which they have so earnestly labored, will result from the present negotiations.

READY TO LEAVE.

General Lee Instructed to Turn American Consulate Over to British Consul.

NEW YORK, April 4.—A special to the Herald from Washington says:

Consul General Lee has been instructed to turn the American consulate over to British Consul Gollin and has already made the necessary arrangements with Gollin to do so.

This is a mere precaution in case General Lee has to leave suddenly. He is simply setting his house in order.

General Lee had a long conference with Consul Gillin, who courteously agreed to do everything in his power in case General Lee receives orders to leave, or is forced to seek refuge on the Fern with the other Americans by a sudden uprising of the Havana populace.

Consul Gollin will probably have his hands full if Havana grows violent as English residents will be regarded as Americans if the excitement is great. Consul Gollin however, believes active hostilities between Spain and the United States will be averted.

General Lee apparently has not abondened all hope of postponement of immediate hostilities and his conference with Consul General Gollin, it is understed here, was due not to his intention of leaving, but merely to insure the fullest protection of the consulate and American residents should he be suddenly forced to abdicate.

General Lee, it is known on all hands, will stick to his post until it is folly to remain longer.

THOUSANDS MUST DIE.

Rev. Eugene May Reports the Conditions in Cuba Appalling.

WASHINGTON, April 4. — Rev. Eugene May, who has been traveling in Cuba, returned to his home here yesterday. His report of the conditions in the island differs in no essential detail from that of Senators Proctor, Thurston, Gallinger and others who have recently spoken and written on the subject. Dr. May says in addition: "The recent revocation of the reconcentrators order is a farce, as the people to whom it applies are too ill to work and have nothing with which to start had they the strength. Blanks have been issued to the starving wretches which are to be filled out with requisitions for whatever they need and sent to Havana. The mockery of it is in line with the farce of sending in the blanks. Nothing more is ever heard of them.

"The relief work is going forward rapidly in 210 towns, but there are between 50,000 and 100,000 reconcentrados who must die, however generous the relief, for they are already beyond help."

GEAKE CHOSEN.

Republicans Nominate the Stone Contractor for Mayor.

W. T. Jefferies Unanimously Nominated for Clerk.

Ex-Mayor Oakley Was Chairman of the Convention.

Julius Tonne, Frank Higgins and John Ferguson Were Selected as Candidates for Waterworks Trustees.

The republican city convention met in the city hall this afternoon with a fair attendance of delegates. Owing to the late arrival of many delegates the convention was not called to order until about 2:25 by W. E. Clapham, chairman of the county and city committees, who read the call for the convention.

Joe Lombard nominated Col. C. B. Oakley for permanent chairman and he was unanimously chosen. The ex-mayor was applauded and responded with a neat speech, in which he practically prophesied success for the ticket.

C. L. Archer nominated Chas. Lane, of the Gazette, for secretary, with reporters of other republican papers as assistants. Motion carried.

On motion of Dr. L. A. Worch, Will Beck and C. H. Newton were chosen tellers.

Nominations for mayor were called for and J. B. Harper placed before the convention the name of William Geake. All the wards seconded the nomination of Mr. Geake, and on motion of Major Wilson he was made the unanimous choice of the convention. He was called on for a speech and said victory was assured if all republicans did their duty.

Enoch G. Cox placed the name of W. T. Jefferies before the convention for clerk and, on motion of John T. Leach, he was nominated by acclamation. Mr. Jefferies said that every move he made would be in the interest of the republican party.

H. A. Rogers nominated Capt. R. R. H. Harrison for waterworks trustee. Dr. C. B. Stemen nominated Frank Higgins, and George Soliday nominated Juluis Tonne. W. E. Mossman nominated John Ferguson.

There being four nominations a ballot was ordered. The slate had been practically agreed upon and Messrs. Tonne, Ferguson and Higgins won by an overwhelming vote, Mr. Harrison receiving only forty votes.

A LARGE CLASS.

Thirty-two Children Confirmed at St John's Reformed Church.

The following children were yesterday confirmed in the St. John's Reformed church:

Emma Balzer, Clara Ehrmann, Josephine Grotholtmann, Emilie Hockemeier, Gertrude Heller, Emma Junghoens, Bertha Lindemann, Martha Ludwig, Carrie Moeller, Jabob Koerber, Carl Kruse, Heinrich Peters, Ernst Peters, Wilhelm Schone, George Welker, Lena Pester, Emma Rogge, Sophia Schaefer, Jeanette Schmidt, Anna Siebold, Pearl Seabold, Clara Tigges, Emma Welker, Martin Altekruse, Arthur Altekruse, Paul Baumann, Frederick Berdelmann, Heinrich Dierstein, Carl Guyer, Edgar Jakob, Wilhelm Jautz, Edward Junghaus.

SUITS DISMISSED.

Mrs. Fahnestock No. 1 Abandons Her Case Against No. 2.

The suit of Fannie Fahnestock against her former husband, James Fahnestock, for $5,000 alimony awarded her by a Toledo court, was dismissed from the superior court here today. The suit of the same plaintiff against the present wife of James Fahnestock, for $5,000 damage, for alleged alienation of the affections of Mr. Fohnestock, was dismissed.

Today was the beginning of the April term of the superior court. A number of minor suits were dismissed.

UP TO NOW.

The Shoes That Are Up-to-Date Are Thing's Shoes.

Big Easter Values All This Week.

Ladies' fine vici kid shoes, the $2.50 kind, all this week at $1.99.

Ladies' $3.50 hand sewed shoes in black and tan, models of 1898, this week $2.69.

Ladies' $3.00 fine vici kid shoes, heavy silk vesting upper; the most up to date shoe in the city, $2.49.

20 styles in gents' $4.00 summer shoes, the celebrated Lewis A. Crossett make; best on earth, $2.99.

Men's fine dress shoes in tan and black, $1.99.

Boys' fine dress shoes, 99c.

Children's chocolate lace shoes cheap at 75c; sizes run 8 to 11; all this week at 50c.

Ladies' fine tan shoes, $1.49.

Ladies' tan and black lace shoes, big snap at $1.00.

Big sale of Easter shoes all this week at the Big Store.

Music all day.

Store open evenings until 9 o'clock.

S. B. THING & Co.,
No. 32 Calhoun St.
Large Red Boot.

C. J. WELKER.

SPECIAL EASTER SALE.

RIBBON NECKWEAR & SASHES.

For Easter we are showing a great many pretty new ideas in Ribbon neckwear at 39c, 50c and 75c.

$2.50 Ribbon Sashes in all colors and black. Easter sale price $1.75.

EASTER RIBBONS.

Fancy Silk Ribbons, newest effects in stripes, checks, plaids and moires, 4 to 5 inches wide at 25c a yard, worth 35c.

GLOVES FOR EASTER.

Ladies' Kid Gloves, very soft and flexible, perfect fitting, in 2-clasp with fancy embroidered backs, in all the spring colorings, worth $1.00, at 75c a pair.

EASTER STOCKINGS.

25 doz. Ladies' Hose, black boot, colored tops, at 25c a pair.

25 doz. Ladies' fine black hose, full regular made, worth 22c, at 15c a pair. Children's Stockings at special prices.

Just received a new line of Laces, Embroideries, Handkerchiefs, Veilings, Corsets, etc., which we place on sale at special prices.

C. J. WELKER. 118 Calhoun St. Schmitz Block.

The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

MONDAY, APRIL 4, 1898.

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TONIGHT.

Democratic Primaries—From 3 o'clock until 7:30.

U. V. L.—Important meeting.

Revival Services—West Creighton Church of Christ. Rev. J. J. Higgs, pastor.

Religious Services—Christ's Lutheran church, corner Jefferson and Webster streets.

Carpenters' Union—Regular meeting at hall, 54 East Main street.

Lathers—Regular meeting.

Baptist Guards—Regular meeting.

Cigarmakers' Union — Regular meeting union No. 37.

Bricklayers' Union — Regular meeting.

Barbers' Union—Regular meeting.

Laundry Workers—Regular meeting.

Ladies G. A. R.—G. W. Stirk circle, No. 18.

True Blue Hall—Twelve o'clock social hop.

Lodges—Fort Wayne lodge, No. 14, I. O. O. F; Phoenix, K. of P.; Ben Hur court, No. 15; Modern Woodmen No. 4761.

THE only way out for Spain is to back out.

THE Spanish out on the bleachers may have their noisy demonstration before the game is called, if they like. We in the grand stand will have ours after the ninth inning.

SPAIN finds that diplomacy, however, isn't worth a great deal when the other fellow is bound to have satisfaction or a fight.

WITH the announcement that the Spanish torpedo flotilla is not at Porto Rico, but is separated from that island by two thousand miles of salt blue sea, the belligerent feeling in Washington becomes noticeably more temperate.

IN war intelligence counts for more than the numerical strength of forces or the calibre of guns. In facing the soldiers of the United States Spain will meet armies that are superior to her own in every quality that makes one man better than another.

THE Massachusetts house of representatives has passed a bill abolishing hanging and substituting electrocution in capital cases. Electrocution is scientific, but it isn't literary. Hemlock would be a more approved form of capital punishment in the Bay state.

IN KANSAS the republican candidate for mayor was charged by an opposition orator with having recently been drunk. Mayor Jones, the offended party, at once hunted up the orator, landed on the point of his jaw in scientific fashion and the man went down and was counted out. It must be that more than one kind of reform wave is sweeping Kansas City.

THE progress of the Spanish armada to the western hemisphere recalls the historical incident that three centuries and ten years ago Spain sent an "invincible armada" into the British channel with malicious intent to put the English navy out of business in the first round. It was no slouch of an armada. It was gay with tinsel and banners and made a brave show as it sailed in confused procession to the north. At the mouth of the channel it encountered fearful storms and what the elements spared of the armada soon fell afoul of the English navy under brave Sir John Hawkins, a sturdy British tar who knew a think or two about sea fighting himself. What he did to the "invincible armada" was a plenty. The Spanish fleet was destroyed and the utter disaster to that enterprise marked the beginning of the decline of Spain's naval supremacy. When the Spanish armada, now at the Cape Verde Islands, gets a few hundred miles nearer the American shore it will be eminently proper that history repeat itself.

SPRING.

THE SEASON'S GREETING.

IT is with a feeling of satisfaction and confidence that we issue this, our Spring Message, because after months of labor in buying, we have secured the choicest stock of clothing and haberdashery we have ever been able to show our patrons--the styles were never more attractive and the workmanship was never better.

That we have been successful in efforts to please, we believe will be your verdict when you see our new spring goods and learn our prices.

Our clothing is such clothing as you would take pleasure in wearing--it is satisfactory clothing in every respect. We have no desire to exchange our clothing for your money until you are satisfied, for until you are, we are not.

We know how to hold old customers and win new ones; right goods, right prices and right treatment does the work.

Our new Spring goods are arranged for your inspection and will be pleased to receive a call from you, whether you wish to buy or not. We want you to feel at home in our store. Whatever you may need, that we, as men's outfitters, may furnish, you shall and must be right in every particular.

"BETTER CLOTHES FOR .... BETTER TIMES,"

But keep down the price"—that's our platform for 1898. It has taken careful selection and close buying to do what we are doing this season. The finest suits, top coats and furnishing goods in America, the best styles from the leading makers and values that surpass our best efforts of other years. Hart, Schaffner & Marx Guaranteed Clothing is sold here for the price of ordinary goods.

HART, SCHAFFNER & MARX.

H.S.&M.

GUARANTEED CLOTHING.

LEHMAN'S,

34 and 36 Calhoun St.

Mrs. Thurston's Presentiment.

The ladies of the congressional circle at the Cairo apartment house, where the Thurstons lived, states a Washington letter, says that Mrs. Thurston had a remarkable presentiment that she would not return alive from Cuba, but nevertheless was determined to go and would not allow her husband to leave without her. A day or two before they left a number of ladies were sitting in Mrs. Thurston's room discussing plans and probabilities, when she informed them with the greatest seriousness that she did not expect to return, and desired to leave with them messages and commissions for friends whom she would not be able to see before her departure.

She even made a memorandum to assist the memory of one of the party, and the same afternoon collected all her jewelry and asked one of the ladies to go with her as a witness while she placed it in the safe in the office of the hotel. The package was addressed to her daughter with a loving message. While the yacht was tumbling and creaking in the midst of the terrible storm that it met off Cape Hatteras, Mrs. Thurston reminded Mrs. Money and Mrs. Gallinger of this presentiment, and ventured the doleful prediction that they would not reach land alive. When the yacht finally found shelter at Charleston and the demoralized guests disembarked, they laughed over her despondency. But she was not shaken in her opinion that she was taking her last journey and would never see Washington again.

War Powers of the President.

By the constitution congress alone has power to declare war. The constitution confers on the president the whole executive power. He is bound to take care that the laws are faithfully executed. He is commander-in-chief of the army and navy of the United States and of the militia of the several states when called into actual service of the United States.

The president has no power to initiate or declare war either against a foreign nation or a domestic state. He is authorized to call out the militia and use the military and naval forces of the United States in cases of invasion by foreign nations, and to suppress insurrection against the government of a state or states.

If a war be made by invasion of a foreign nation, the president is not only authorized but bound to resist force by force. He does not initiate the war, but is bound to accept the challenge without waiting for any special legislative authority. The battles of Palo Alto and Resaca de la Palma, in the Mexican war, had been fought before congress passed an act which recognized "a state of war as existing by the act of the republic of Mexico." The act of congress not only provided for the future prosecution of the war, but was itself a vindication and ratification of the act of the president in accepting the challenge without a previous formal declaration of war by congress.

It has been judicially declared that the civil war commenced April 19, 1861, when the ports of the confederate states were blockaded by the naval power under a proclamation of the president bearing that date. Still, we know that hostilities commenced before that date, for on April 12, 1861, by the special order of the secretary of war of the confederate states, fire was opened on Fort Sumter. April 15 President Lincoln issued a proclamation calling forth the militia of the several states to the number of 75,000, and declaring certain states in rebellion. Still, congress did not "declare war" until July 13, 1861.

Thus it will be seen that while the president has no power to initiate or declare war, he is authorized to resist force by force, and to accept the challenge of any power to battle without waiting for congress to act.

BEN HUR ENTERTAINMENT.

Program to be Rendered at A. O. U. W. Hall This Evening.

The following program will be rendered at an entertainment to be given by Ben Hur court No. 15 at A. O. U. W. hall, on Court street, this evening:

Address	A. S. Coverdale
Music	Miss Anna Greer
Recitation	Mrs. Nellie Carter
Music	Ben Hur quartet
Recitation	Miss Clara Bell
Vocal selection	Hazel Cooke
Recitation	Irma Medsker
Music	Ben Hur quartet
Recitation	Velma Hurton
Vocal selection	H. S. Vreeland
Select reading	Maude Vantilburg
Vocal solo	Lottie Whitney
Recitation	Mrs. Heaton
Music	Mrs Germain
Closing remarks	Chief Brinsley

This is "Kid" Cramer.

Toledo Bee: "Bert Wood and Jack Cramer, who met in a four-round bout at the Champion Athletic club on Wednesday evening are matched to fight fifteen rounds for $100 a side. The decision of a draw given Wednesday night was purely a formal one and did not give satisfaction to either man. Hence this match. The date and location of the match have not yet been arranged."

THE GRIM REAPER.

Mrs. William Allgier Passed Away Shortly After Midnight.

Succumbed to the Ravages of Old Age--Death of Mrs. Joanna Carter--Funerals.

At 1 o'clock this morning occurred the death of Mrs. William Allgier, aged seventy-two years, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frances Zahn, 221 East Jefferson street. Death resulted from old age. Mrs. Allgier was born in Germany, but for about half a century has made her home in Adams township. About two weeks ago she began to feel badly and decided to visit in Fort Wayne. She came here and never again returned to her country home. Only three weeks ago Mrs. Barbara Seiler, a life long friend and neighbor of Mrs. Allgier, came to the city and she, too, died without again seeing her old home. Mrs. Allgier was the mother of six grown children, as follows: William, Anthony, Mrs. Frances Zahn, John, Edward and Andrew. She was one of the oldest members of St. Mary's Catholic church. The funeral will be held at 9 a. m. Wednesday from St. Marys' Catholic church.

CARTER.

Saturday afternoon, at No. 187 Jackson street, occurred the death of Mrs. Joanna C. Carter, of consumption. She was aged forty-three years, two months and twenty days. A husband and five children survive her. The funeral will occur Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock from the house and half an hour later from the Cathedral.

LEE.

Saturday night, at 11 o'clock occurred the death of Samuel Lee, sr., at the home of his son, Samuel Lee, jr., 170 Huffman street. Mr. Lee was aged seventy-five years five months and eighteen days, and had resided in Allen county since 1873. He was born in Brook county, Va., and when a young man moved to Ohio, where, in 1861, he volunteered for three years in the service of his country, joining company D, Seventy-Eighth regiment, Ohio Volunteer infantry. On August 30, 1862, he was discharged from the service on a surgeon's certificate of disability. Mr. Lee leaves seven children, as follows: Edward L. Lee and Mrs. Lizzie Black, of Aboite township; Mrs. Sadie Heckler, Perrysburg, Ohio; J. M. Lee, Arcola; Samuel Lee, jr., Fort Wayne; Arnoid Lee, Fort Wayne, and Mrs. Edith Weichselfelder. The funeral will occur Tuesday at 9:30 from No. 170 Huffman street and at 10 o'clock from the Northside Mission, Rev. Ballinger officiating. Interment will be made at Bullard's cemetery in Aboite township.

GERKE.

Maria Gerke, wife of Louis Gerke, a wealth farmer who lives in Wayne township south of the city, died Sunday morning, aged seventy-six years, eleven months and twenty-three days. She leaves besides her husband, who is quite ill, five grown children, three daughters, two married, and two sons. The funeral will occur Wednesday at 12:30 p. m. from the residence and later services will be held at the Lutheran church on the Piqua road, Rev. F. Vanke officiating.

KRAFT.

Minnie Kraft, aged twenty-three years, daughter of Frederick Kraft, died at 10:30 Sunday morning at the home of her father, 317 Lafayette street, of consumption. She had been ill for a long time and for two weeks her death was hourly expected. The funeral will occur Wednesday at 10 a. m. and at 10:30 from Zion's Lutheran church.

DETURK.

Amanda, the two-month-old child of Mr. and Mrs. David DeTurk, died of bronchitis at 10:50 Sunday morning at the home of the parents, No. 75 Richardson street. The funeral occurred this afternoon.

THE WEEK'S DEATHS.

The following is a list of the deaths reported by the undertakers of the city for the week ending April 2:

Sister Mary Petra, 20 years old, consumption.

Elizabeth Shelvey, 45 years old, cancer.

Isadore Miller, 2 months old, exhaustion.

A. J. Chandler, 70 years old, paralysis.

Edna C. Wass, 8 years old, brain fever.

Ernest T. Moss, 18 months old, lung fever.

Ilda Klein, 5 months old, erysipelas.

Child of John Krautner, stillborn.

David Kraus, 87 years old, old age.

Frederick Schneider, 72 years old, erysipelas.

Conrad Seidel, 60 years old, tuberculosis.

Child of Henry Furney, stillborn.

Child of John Fisher, 1 day old, exhaustion.

Frieda Greiner, 15 months old, lung fever.

Edwin Wiebke, 11 months old, lung fever.

Worth A. Kley, 7 years old, epilepsy.

Andrew McClure, 56 years old, dropsy.

Mary McClure, 57 years old, heart failure.

DEMOCRATS VOTING.

Primaries Being Held in the Several Wards This Evening.

At 3 o'clock this afternoon the democrats of the city commenced to vote for delegates to the city convention and candidates for councilmen. In some of the wards there is no opposition to certain candidates and a large vote will not be cast.

The city committee will receive returns this evening in the Stutz building, on East Main street.

TO BLOW UP SHIPS.

Spaniards Sow Havana Harbor With Mines.

Forty More Floating Engines of Destruction Placed by Order of the Madrid Government.

They Command the Narrowest Part of the Channel--Uncle Sam's War Preparations go on.

NEW YORK, April 4.—A dispatch to the World from Havana says:

Forty floating submarine mines were secretly planted in Havana harbor last Wednesday night by the Spanish government.

This information comes from official sources and is absolutely correct. The mines were laid in the narrowest part of the channel between Morro and Punta, in two lines of twenty mines each.

They are spherical and float about twenty-four feet under the surface. Each is attached by an anchor chain to a heavy cable anchored on the bottom.

The detonating wires run up the chains. There is sufficient force there to paralyze the biggest ships afloat. But if any entering fleet should use counter mines or bow torpedos on approaching the narrowest part of the entrance to the harbor the mines could be exploded.

HARD TO GET.

United States Encounters Difficulty Buying Warships Abroad.

NEW YORK, April 4.—A dispatch to the Herald from Washington says:

"Orders have been cabled to Lieut. J. J. Knapp, commanding the torpedo boat Somers, purchased from Germany, to proceed to England and take command of the cruiser Diogenes, purchased from the Thames Iron works. The Diogenes is a cruiser of 1800 tons displacement, and will be used as a member of the second line of defense, for which purpose this government is purchasing a large number of yachts, and is converting them into torpedo boats.

The Diogenes was originally built in 1882 for the Portugese government, but the Lisbon authorities failing to take her she remained at the Thames Iron works and was rebuilt during the last year.

She has a speed of sixteen knots, some protection, and has an excellent battery for her size.

Lieutenant Knapp, it is expected, will arrive in England on the Somers tomorrow or Tuesday and will immediately put to sea with the Diogenes. He will have command of both vessels on their voyage across the Atlantic.

He will be directed to proceed with all possible dispatch to New York, so that the two ships will be out of the reach of Spanish cruisers in case war should be declared this week.

The authorities admit that they are hunting for more vessels, but they seem to fear that their agent abroad will not be successful in getting any large vessels.

There is a reason to believe that they hope to secure some torpedo boats during the present week. The Chinese torpedo boats under construction at Elbing and Stettin, Germany, have been inspected by Lieut. A. H. Niblack, the naval attache of this government in Berlin, but he has reported that they are not ready for sea.

Lieutenant Sims and Commander Brownson are carefully inspecting the torpedo boats under construction in France and Italy and the department has reason to believe that their search may result successfully. No authority has been given to Commander Brownson to buy the steam yacht, which is under construction in Italy for the sultan of Morocco.

MAMMOTH EVAPORATOR.

Sent to Key West to Furnish Fresh Water for Warships.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, April 4.—A mammoth evaporator was shipped from this city today to Key West with orders from the government that it be rushed forward with all possible haste.

The evaporator will be located permanently at Key West for the purpose of supplying fresh water to war vessels.

It is guaranteed to distill 50,000 gallons of pure drinking water per day.

FRANCE IS NEUTRAL.

Former Ambassador Eustis Discusses the Situation.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—Hon. J. B. Eustis, former United States embassador to France, was asked his opinion with reference to M. Hanotaux's declaration in the French chamber of deputies touching the Spanish Cuban question.

"I have no doubt," said Mr. Eustis, "that the declaration correctly represents the opinion of Mr. Hanotaux. Since this Spanish-Cuban question has become serious, the attitude of the French government has become one of extreme delicacy. Having frequently discussed the question with M. Hanotaux, I have always found his attitude as regards the Spanish and American governments was exceedingly proper.

"The French aristocracy and the Catholic party in France naturally strongly sympathize with the Spanish government as against the United States, but they have no voice in the French government today, and there is no doubt that the French government would be absolutely neutral in case of war between Spain and the United States.

"Mr. Hanotaux does not sympathize with either of these parties and they have not the slightest influence with him. He is a man of remarkable intelligence, an admirably equipped diplomat, always cool, knowing when to be firm or conciliatory, and the sincere admirer of our people and our institutions.

"He is equally friendly to the Spanish government and our government.

"The fact is that our government intends not to take any decisive action which would lead to hostilities, can discard any apprehension that any European power would take any active part against our government.

"Alliances in European politics have become so fashionable that they become a most important factor in settling any European question, but with us the case is different.

"No European power could have any possible interest in intermeddling in a question of peace or war between Spain and the United States."

"What do you think of the present crisis?" Mr. Eustis was asked.

"I think that we are unavoidably drifting into a war. From the moment that Mr. Cleveland and subsequently Mr. McKinley asserted the right of our government to intervene to stop the war in Cuba, I have never been able to discover any pacific solution of this question.

"I would deprecate a war with Spain. But it is evident that the present situation is becoming unendurable, and that the American people are determined that this running sore in our international politics shall be cured."

PRIEST IS THREATENED.

Warned of Death Unless He Relinquishes His Pastorate.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., April 4.—Rev. Father Joseph Pribyl, pastor of St. John's Roman Catholic church, this city, received warning today that if he persisted in holding his pastorate he would be killed on Good Friday. The warning came through the mail and was written in scarlet ink.

The communication bears the signature of three men who have been prominent in the disturbances which have nearly wrecked the church. Father Pribyl was formerly the parish priest of the murdered miners at Hazleton, Pa., and was sent here for the especial purpose of subduing the discordant element.

The opposition to him is due to race prejudices and comes principally from the Slavs, who object to him because he is a Bohemian.

LOCAL LINES.

Charles L. and Wm. H. Carter have gone to Van Wert, Ohio, to lay a new tile floor in the court house at that place.

Miss Alice Federspiel, of New Haven, spent Sunday in the city the guest of Miss Anna Ehinger, of No. 50 Clinton street.

Drs. Drayer and Meyers have no tuberculin and will be compelled to postpone test of more dairies until a new supply is received from Professor Bitting.

The Hibernian Rifles will drill tonight. A business meeting will be held after the drill, when new applications for membership will be acted upon.

Chairman Eggemann, of the board of works, was at Swinney park this afternoon arranging for the building of a bicycle track. A new entrance to the park will be placed at Jefferson street.

The action of big Cy Swaim in refusing to sign a Washington contract on account of salary offered will probably land him as a farmed hand in the Atlantic league. President Wagner has so decided.

Major J. E. Miller, who is here to muster in the militia companies, was the guest of honor at a dinner party given by Mrs. F. G. Olds, of 45 John street, yesterday. Major Millor will go to Huntington tomorrow.

John J. Higgs, pastor of the West Creighton avenue Church of Christ, will conduct a series of gospel meetings at the church every night this week. M. K. Griffith will sing a solo each evening. These meetings will be very interesting. The subject this evening will be "Apostolic Doctrine." Service to commence at 7:30 sharp. Come to these meetings.

There will not be a meeting of the Morning Musical this week, but on Monday afternoon, April 11, a piano recital will be given in the Fort Wayne club to the members of the society. Each member will be entitled to invite one resident of the city as her guest and out of town guests are always admitted on invitation by some member of the society. The pianist for the occasion will be Leopold Godowsky.

THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, April 4.—Wheat—May, $1.05¼; July, 85¼@85⅝c; Sept., 77⅝c; Dec., 77½c.

Corn—April, 29⅛c; May, 29⅝c; July, 30⅝@31c; Sept., 32c.

Oats—May, 25¼c; April, 25½c; July, 23⅜.

Pork—April, $9.80; May, $9.87; July, $9.97.

Lard—April, $5.30; May, $5.32; July, $5.37@5.40; Sept., $5.45.

Ribs—April and May, $5.25; July, $5.35.

Barley—Cash, No. 3, 36@42c.

Rye—Cash, 50½c; May, 50¼@50¾.

Flax—Cash, $1.21; N. W., $1.22½; May, $1.23; Sept., $1.12.

Timothy—April, $2.80.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

ALLOWAY IS HERE.

The First Base Ball Player to Arrive.

He is in First-Class Condition and Will be a Winner--Other Players Expected--Notes.

Alloway, alias "Klondike," was the first Fort Wayne base ball player to reach in the city, having arrived early Sunday morning over the Grand Rapids and Indiana railway. Alloway lives on the other side of the big flood and started early so as to be certain and get here on time. At Cincinnati he was compelled to ride in a 'bus from one end of the city to the other, the railways being unable to haul passengers. He is in the best of shape and having fired an engine during the entire winter is as hard as muscle can possibly be. "Klondike" says he will pitch better ball than ever this season and if he does he will be in front again the same as last year.

Manager O'Meara has received word from Peck Sharp, who wants money to come in style, but the other players having failed to write, are possibly en route here.

CAMPBELL HERE, TOO.

At noon today Tom Campbell, who caught such great ball for the Fort Wayne base ball club, arrived in the city. Tom is in fine shape and weighs twenty or twenty-five pounds less than he did when he left Fort Wayne.

NOTES.

Joe Werrick has been appointed captain of the Mansfields.

Chic Cargo has signed with the Oswego team of the New York state league.

Willis, one of the Dayton pitchers, has been given his release by Manager Armor.

John Ganzel did not pan out with Pittsburg. There are two or three first basemen in the Inter-State who can play all around him.

Woodlock has notified Manager Whistler that he will not play ball this season and Springfield is hunting for another shortstop.

Manager Torreyson is corresponding with a National league shortstop. If he gets him Donahue is slated for release or for a move to a corner of the infield.

The Shamrocks will play the Fort Waynes April 10. Should it rain, tickets purchased for the game will be honored at any time thereafter that the Shamrocks can play.

Ed. Zinram, the Youngtown catcher, who did great work last season, attached his name to a Youngstown contract Saturday and the "fans" over there are happy.

The East Wayne Streets have organized with the following players: Pitchers, Charles Ford and Sam Walters; first base, Ed. Ruben; second base, France Williams; short stop, Red Springer; third base, Henry McCrossen; center field, John Bostick; left field, Henry Franke; right geld, Lou Black; captain, Henry McCrossen; manager, Henry Franke.

Manager Geer, of Youngstown, has the following contracts: Zinram and John Smith, catchers; Peter McBride, John K. Spears, William Martin, Irving Brodie and Joe Garvey, pitchers; Van Patterson, Arthur Ross, Hodge Berry, Ardian Cross, George Ross, infielders; James Cooper, James M. Grove, Ed. Fortney, E. C. Landgraf, outfielders. It is known that Captain Musser, Harry Jordan and Stein will also sign contracts. Work will be commenced in the field by the team on April 11.

Mothers, be sure and use "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for your children while cutting teeth. It is the best remedy of all. May8eod&w

For bulk Garden Seeds, all kinds of Flower Seeds, Tube Rose bulbs, Canna Roots, etc., go to S. Bash & Co. 28tf

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We think too much of the friendship of our customers and expect to continue business for years to come. We could not do this were we to handle shoddily made and job-lot goods. We have, however, a full line of reputable, guaranteed sundries at lowest prices for this class of goods. We are not afraid of legitimate competion. Give us a trial.

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19tf 54 and 56 Barr St.

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Via Wabash R. R. April 5, 15, 18 and 19, 1898.

Round trip tickets will be sold on above dates by the Wabash line and connections at low rates. Return limit twenty-one (21) days. A vast western territory is covered by these excursions. The Wabash has (4) four fast western trains daily (Sunday excepted), and is the only line running free reclining chair cars through to St. Louis and Kansas City.

For rates, routes, time of trains, conditions of tickets, and general information apply to Wabash ticket office, Phone No. 6. m 21-20t

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The purity of the lily, the glow of the rose, and the flush of Hebe combine in POZZONI'S wondrous Powder.

Free Samples To All.

15,000 Packages to be Given to all Who Apply--John A. Smith and His Remarkable Rheumatism Cure.

THE FIRST TEST AND WHAT IT LED TO

Cured Himself First. Then His Friends and Neighbors and Now Proposes to Cure the World.

JOHN A. SMITH, MILWAUKEE, WIS.

On the theory that "seeing is believing" John A. Smith of Milwaukee, wants everyone to first try his remedy for the cure of rheumatism, at his expense. To that end, he proposes to distribute 15,000 free sample packages to all persons sending him their name and address. Mr. Smith had for years suffered all the agony and torture of rheumatism, tried all the remedies known, and yet utterly failed to find relief.

At times he was so helpless that he had to take morphine and after considerable doctoring with leading physicians, who were unable to help him, he gave up in despair. He began studying into the causes of rheumatism and after much experimenting and repeated failure, he finally found a remedy which cured him in a few days. The result was so beneficial to his entire system and was such a glorious escape from the clutches of rheumatism that he called his new found remedy Gloria Tonic. Those of his friends, relatives and neighbors who were subject to rheumatism were next cured and Mr. Smith concluded he would offer his remedy to the world. But he found the task a dificult one. Nearly everybody had tried a hundred or more remedies, just as he did, and they couldn't be made to believe there was such a thing as a cure for rheumatism. But an old gentleman in Seguin, Tex., Mr. Bertram, wrote him saying if Mr. Smith would send him a sample he would try it, but as he had suffered forty-one years and wasted a fortune on advertised remedies he wouldn't buy anything more until he knew it was worth something. The sample was sent and the results were astonishing. He was completely cured. This gave Mr. Smith a new idea and ever since that time he has been sending free sample packages of Gloria Tonic to all who may apply. It cured H. Bucholz, 70 years old, of Norborne, Mo., after suffering 25 years. In Regina, N. W. Ter., Anton Bengert was laid up nine years. A sample of Gloria Tonic was the first relief he ever got and three boxes entirely cured him. Thomas Callahan of Harvard, Ills., suffered continously four years and was cured by Mr. Smith's remarkable remedy. At Indian Ford, Wis., Friedericke Arnold aged 66 years suffered 12 years. Nothing ever relieved her until she tried Gloria Tonic. She was cured completely. At Pittsburg, Ind., a druggist was cured after 33 years suffering. John Carston of Belton, Tex., had planned to give his wife a trip to Germany, but she was taken with an attack of rheumatism and the trip abandoned. But she tried a sample of Gloria Tonic, got some more, was cured and went to Europe rejoicing. She is a firm believer in Gloria Tonic. Mrs. Persohn of Amsterdam, N. Y., believes Providence directed her to Mr. Smith's remedy. She was nearly insane from the intense suffering from rheumatic pains and was entirely cured. Thousands of other instances could be related where this magical remedy has cured rheumatism. In case your druggist does not have it, it's well worth anybody's time to send their name and address to Mr. Smith and he will send a trial package of Gloria Tonic absolutely free of charge. If you have a friend, or acquaintance, a neighbor or relative suffering from rheumatism send for a trial package and give it a test. It is a remarkable remedy and there is no question but what it will cure any case of rheumatism no matter how severe or how long standing. Send your name and address to John A. Smith, 243 Summerfield Church Building, Milwaukee, Wis.

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DANNER RESIGNS.

Well Known Passenger Conductor Retires.

The Wabash Company the Victim of Burglars. Who Rob a Safe at Defiance.

Robert M. Danner, one of the best known conductors in the passenger service on the Grand Rapids and Indiana road, tendered his resignation last Saturday and the same has been accepted. No cause for the resignation has been assigned, but it is understood that Mr. Danner contemplates engaging in business in the near future. He was probably one of the most popular men on the road. His legion of friends will be surprised to hear of his resignation. Thomas Malone, who has long been in the company's employ, will succeed Mr. Danner.

HAD A THUMB MANGLED.

Leon R. Griffin, of Poplar street, had the misfortune to have the thumb of his right hand badly lacerated last Friday while operating a rip saw at the works of the Star Plating and Manufacturing company, on South Broadway. During the disability of Mr. Griffin, his place in the shop will be filled by Henry Kronemiller, of Taylor street. The Star people are enjoying a big business at present.

FREIGHT HOUSE SAFE ROBBED.

Captain Stoll, of the Pennsylvania police, this morning received a telegram from Chief Detective J. B. Sollitt, of the Wabash, stating that the safe of the company's freight house at Defiance, Ohio, was blown open last night and rifled of its contents, which in part consisted of cash and stamps. The thieves are believed to have come this way, and if they did they will soon be captured. The message did not give the extent of the loss to the company, but it is probably considerable.

SHOPMEN HELP A POOR WOMAN.

A collection was taken up in the Pittsburg machine shop this morning for the benefit of a poor woman residing at Hadley who wants to move to this city and engage in the laundry business. The men responded freely and the woman left the shop with a light heart and a well filled purse. Her main support, a son less than twenty years old, was employed on the road, but for some time has been unable to work on account of sickness. This incident illustrates the generosity of the kind hearted shopmen when their sympathies are enlisted in the interest of some unfortunate.

PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE.

Al Peipenbrink, an electrician employed at the Jenney power station, is celebrating the advent of a son at his home.

Robert John, Nickel Plate engineer, is sick and off duty.

John Edelman, of the Pittsburg car shop, is sick and off duty.

Engineer Charles Merriett, of the Nickel Plate, is off duty on account of sickness.

John Rupp, a blacksmith in the Pittsburg shops, is off duty on account of sickness.

Joseph Courdery, of the Anthony Wayne works, is off duty on account of sickness

Conrad Aumann is again at work in the Pittsburg planing mills after a two weeks' sickness.

Nickel Plate Firemen Charles Houser and Harry Blackburn are taking a brief vacation.

Pittsburg engine 205 was turned out of the shops today and No. 140 was taken in for repairs.

Manager Briggs, of the Traders' Dispatch, will remove his headquarters from Buffalo to Chicago May 1.

Jacob Hilgeman, who had been at Baltimore in the interest of the Electric corporation, returned home last night.

J. M. Kress, who had a carbuncle on his right hand, reported for duty at the electric works this morning, after an absence of a week.

C. C. Chase has become auditor of the Chicago Junction railway. He was formerly agent of the Lake Erie and Western at Lafayette.

Walter Redman, a member of the Pennsylvania's police, was taken sick at Warsaw yesterday and had to return home on No. 8 last evening.

Mrs. George Waggemann, wife of the machinist at the Bass works, and her children have gone to Indianapolis to spend a month with relatives.

Daniel Bevelheimer has resumed his duties as watchman at the Broadway crossing of the Pittsburg, after a week's lay off to attend to some private business.

During the month of March the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers disbursed $58,500 to the heirs of deceased members and to those who were crippled.

Master Mechanic B. Fitzpatrick, who has been troubled with a bad cold for the past week, a portion of the time being confined to his house, is attending to business at his office again.

Engineer C. C. Weaver, who is said to be the longest in service of any of the engineers on the Pennsylvania railroad, is supposed to be fatally ill at his home in Harrisburg, Pa.

The steam hammer operated by James Trythall and M. H. Morrison, in the Pittsburg shops, is idle on account of the furnace being broken down and the men will also be idle a day or two.

B. Lobenthal, a fireman on the Wabash road, is in the Peru hospital, suffering from injuries received by being struck by a switch post while he was standing upon the steps of his engine.

Louis Lussenhop, night baggage master at the Wabash depot, is having improvements put upon his house on DeWald street, which when completed will add much to the beauty of the premises.

The Wabash has closed a contract by which it is to haul 1200 cars of meat monthly to eastern points for one of the Kansas City dressed meat houses. It is to be supplied at the rate of forty car loads per day.

Joseph Hagenrather, of the Rhinesmith and Simonson factory, has returned to work after an absence of several days on account of an addition to his family. His wife presented him with a son last Friday.

The Pennsylvania lines have been given the contract to carry the members of the naval reserve to New York from St. Paul, Duluth, Milwaukee and Chicago, moving them at different times on its regular trains.

There is sorrow in the hearts of the employes about the Wabash depot and freight house, due to the sad fate which overtook the office cat. Pussy was run over and killed Saturday night by a Pittsburg freight train.

Chief Engineer Kittredge, of the Big Four, in eighteen hours after a span of the bridge over the Little Miami river, 190 feet long, was swept out by the recent flood, had another structure up and trains moving over it.

All trains from the east on the Nickel Plate Saturday night and Sunday bore evidence of the snow storm which raged in eastern Ohio and parts of Pennsylvania that night. At Cleveland there was a fall of two or three inches.

A belief prevails that with the coming of the 1st of May the fast train service between Chicago and Denver, instituted a short time ago, will end, the differential ordered as a result of Chairman Caldwell's ruling making it unprofitable to run these trains.

About the middle of this week General Manager Loree, of the Pennsylvania lines west of Pittsburg, and John F. Miller, general superintendent of the Southwestern system, will start on an inspection of the lines which suffered from the late high waters.

A. C. F. Wichman, who has been on an extened tour of the western states in the interest of the Anthony Wayne Manufacturing company, returned home last evening. He reports business good and brought home many orders for washing machines.

John and Tine Kretsinger, former foreman of the planing mills and the latter operator of an axle lathe, resumed their respective duties in the Pittsburg shops this morning. Tine had been afflicted with pleurisy and had been off duty a week.

W. F. Beardsley, master mechanic of the Allegheny shops of the Pennsylvania lines, has had his jurisdiction extended to cover the Erie and Ashtabula division. Theodore N. Kucher, of this city, who was appointed Mr. Beardsley's assistant, has not yet assumed the duties of his office, but will do so this week.

Engine 700, on the Big Four, on Thursday broke all records by hauling 1,612 tons of freight from Kankakee to Indianapolis at an average speed of twenty-two miles an hour. A locomotive on the Pittsburg hauled over 2,000 tons from this city to Chicago last fall, during the tests than being made by the company.

A Pennsylvania and a Lake Shore train had a race between Englewood and Whiting, twelve miles, last Friday. During the entire distance the trains were side by side, despite the efforts of both engineers to beat. The passengers enjoyed the race greatly and waved hats and handkerchiefs at each other. The Pennsylvania train was much the heaviest.

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers will hold their biennial convention in St. Louis May 11, and the meeting will be one of the most important ever held by the order. The question of federation with the other railway orders will then be definitely settled. The order is nearly equally divided upon this question and the struggle will be bitter to the end.

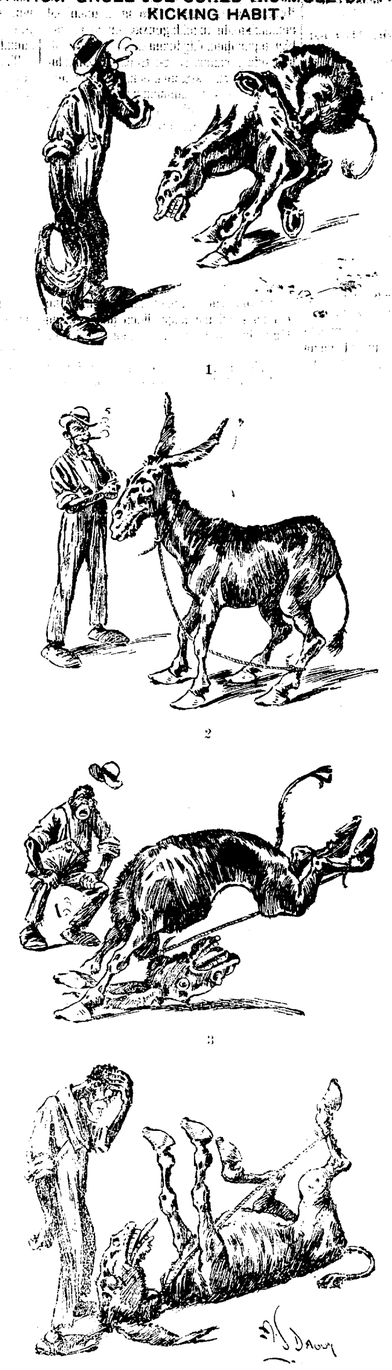
Freight wrecks had become so numerous on certain parts of the Chicago and Eastern Illinois that orders have been given that freight trains on such parts of the line run on a much slower schedule. In one place where the run was made in eighteen minutes the time is lengthened to thirty minutes, and at other points a slowing down of freight trains has been ordered.

The Santa Fe has inaugurated a cut freight rate between Kansas City and Chicago, the reduction being ten and one-half cents per hundred pounds. This cut is understood to be for the purpose of "getting even" with the Wabash, which recently made a contract with a Kansas City house which had hitherto shipped over the Santa Fe. The Chicago, Burlington and Quincy may be drawn into the trouble before a settlement is effected.

Hoodlums at Pierceton, Ind., are causing the Pennsylvania company considerable trouble at present. Last night the boys stoned the limited, No. 2, breaking six windows in a Pullman sleeping car. The police department will make an effort to bring the rascals to justice.

E. T. Kensill, a locomotive engineer employed by the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific road, with headquarters at Chickasha, I. T., is circulating among old friends in the city and will remain here two weeks. He is taking a months' vacation, a portion of which he has spent in Pennsylvania. Mr. Kensill lived here twenty years ago and was a conductor on the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago road for a long time.

HOW UNCLE JOE CURED HIS MULE OF THE KICKING HABIT.



LABOR TROUBLES.

Five Thousand Chicago Carpenters Quit Work--Cotton Mills Operatives Strike.

CHICAGO, April 4.—About 5,000 union carpenters struck here today, and with the exception of public buildings which were not interfered with, work on nearly every building in course of construction in the city is at a standstill. The reason is a controversy over a rule of the Carpenters and Builders association forbidding union carpenters working for any one not a member of the Carpenters and Builders association.

COTTON MILLS OPERATORS STRIKE.

NORWICH, Con., April 4.—The employees of the Ponomah Cotton mills went out on a strike today. Two thousand hands are employed and the workmen in all departments except the carding and spinning rooms went out to the number of 1,100. The strike was in consequence of a 10 per cent. reduction in wages.

HITS STANDARD OIL.

Supreme Court Enjoins Ohio Company From Gas Waste.

ANDERSON, Ind., April 4.—Judge McClure issued a permanent injunction Saturday night against the Ohio Oil company operating in this county on the grounds of gas waste. He also fined the company $500 for waste.

This action was upon the recent decision in the supreme court of the state upholding the constitutionality of the Indiana anti-gas waste laws and the sections providing fines and punishments.

The Ohio Oil company is the Indiana agent of the Standard. The attorneys served notice that they would file a bond and appeal the case to the supreme court of the United States on a writ of error.

This is the first time the Standard has ever been given a set-back by a supreme court.

OFFER TO FIGHT.

Hibernian Rifles Tender Their Services in Case of War.

The Young Soldiers Voted Unanimously in Favor.

Captain Ford Sent a Telegram to Governor Mount.

Company B, Third Infantry, Will be Mustered Into the National Guards--The Fort Wayne Guards.

The Hibernian Rifles will fight for the stars and stripes in case war is declared with Spain.

The Rifles held a meeting in Library hall yesterday afternoon and voted to a man to offer their services to Governor Mount. Speeches were made to the young patriots by Captain J. H. Rohan and Patrick Ryan, both of whom were soldiers in the civil war. There were ten married men at the meeting and their patriotism was just as strong as that of the single men. Not one of them was opposed to the proposition to offer the services of the company. Captain J. E. Ford sent the following telegram to the governor:

Governor Mount:

The Hibernian Rifles of Fort Wayne, at a meeting this afternoon (to a man) offer their services to you in case of war.

J. E. FORD, Captain.

WILL MUSTER IN.

Captain Reese has been busily engaged since Saturday in filling out enlistment papers for applicants to Company B, Third infantry. Many of the men were examined by Drs. Siver and Barnett yesterday and today. Tonight the company will be mustered in by Major J. E. Miller, who was sent here by Adjutant General Gore.

The Fort Wayne Guards drilled at Lakeside park yesterday.

ASK FOR GUNS.

As a result of a conference between Governor Mount, General McKee and Lieut. May, held Saturday in the state house, a telegram was sent the secretary of war asking for six modern field pieces for the use of the batteries of the Indiana national guard. The guns owned by the Indianapolis light artillery and the other two batteries of the Indiana national guard are old-fashioned in design, muzzle-loaders, and it would be dangerous to shoot them with solid shot. In case of war Captain Curtis has anticipated that modern guns would be furnished, but it was decided Saturday to have the batteries at once placed upon a footing equal to the infantry in equipment and the telegram was sent. If the new guns are not sent the modern, breech-loading pieces which are now in use at Purdue and DePauw universities will be transferred for the use of the guard.

Governor Mount also appointed Superintendant Frank Darlington, of the Pennsylvania road, master of transportation, with the rank of colonel. Mr. Darlington will have entire charge of the transportation facilities for moving troops to the point of mobilization in case of war, and his appointment will save much time due to the red tape which otherwise would be necessary to deal between the state and national officials and the railroads.

The Indiana guard is now ready to go at a moment's notice. Every detail has been attended to in anticipation of a call to arms.

The regiment wagons are stored in the basement of the state house with the other equipment: 3,000 blankets, all new and good enough to throw on the finest beds are stored for the guard; the guns are thoroughly cleaned and overhauled, the medicine chests for the hospital corps are filled; the signal corps equipment is in position, and the guard is ready to be mobilized in this city within four hours after the call to arms is received.

The governor has not received an order from the war department as to the probable use of the guard, but he takes it for granted that anticipatory measures are being taken for granted by the war department and that it will expect the governors of all the states to have the guard ready to go at a moment's notice.

Lieutenant May, of the regular army, has requested the secretary of war that he be assigned with the Indiana guard in case of war. All the members of the governor's staff have volunteered their services and all military and semi-military organizations in the city have placed themselves at the disposition of the state authorities. Nothing remains to be done but to answer the call when it comes.

The Humane Society.

Humane Officer Schlaudrauff makes the following report for the month of March:

CHILDREN.	
Abandoned or neglected	2
Beaten or abused	1
Destitute families	7
Number of children in destitute families	28
Homeless	13
Having improper homes	23
Incorrigible	3
Imbecile	1
Taken to county orphan home	2
Wife beating	2
Taken to feeble-minded school	1
Prosecuted for failing to provide	1
Prosecuted for wife beating	1
Fathers neglecting families	3
ANIMALS.	
Beating or whipping	5
Overloading	1
Driven when galled or lame	1
Deprived of necessary food or shelter	1
Cases reported at office	13
Not substantiated	1
Warned	25
Prosecuted	2
Convicted	1
Suspended	1
Animals taken from work	2

The Bartenders' union yesterday held a largely attended meeting. They decided to purchase the furniture formerly owned by the Bookkeepers' association, and will probably lease the room in the Tri-State building occupied by them. The union also decided to give a grand ball at Randall hall on the last Thursday evening in April.

Trying With Prestige.

"Mrs. De Scramble had to move out of our neighborhood."

"What was the trouble?"

"She lost caste. We found out she had made salted almonds out of peanuts."—Detroit Free Press.

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I won't give 'em freedom!"
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SHERIFF'S SALE.

No. 13,014.

In the Allen circuit court, State of Indiana.

Geo. McKenzie Jr. vs. Wm. B. Lamborn, et. al.

By virtue of an order of sale, to me directed and delivered by the clerk of said court, in the above entitled cause, I have levied upon and will expose for sale by public auction, at the court house door in said county, between the hours of 1 and 5 o'clock p. m., of the 23rd day of April, 1898, the rents and profits for a term not exceeding 7 years, of the following described premises, in Allen County, Indiana, viz: Lots 111, 113, 125 in Lakeside Park addition to the City of Fort Wayne, Allen County, Indiana, excepting so much of lot numbered one hundred and twenty-five (125) as is described as follows: commencing at the southeast corner of lot numbered 125, thence westerly on the south line of said lot 30½ feet, thence northerly 85 feet to a point on the south line of St. Joe Boulevard 16 feet west of the north east corner of said lot, thence easterly sixteen feet to the said north east corner of said lot, thence southerly to the place of beginning.

And on failure to realize therefrom the full amount of the judgment, interest thereon and costs, I will at the same time, and in the manner aforesaid, offer for sale the fee simple of the above described premises. Taken as the property of the defendant to satisfy said order of sale.

ALBERT E. MELCHING,
Sheriff Allen County.

4-21-28-4
Abel, attorney for plaintiff.

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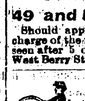

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EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for mayor, subject to the decision of the democratic city nominating convention, April 5 1898.

HENRY P. SCHERER.

I hereby announce that I will be a candidate for the office of Mayor, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.

WILLIAM GEAKE.

FOR CITY CLERK.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for city clerk, subject to the decision of the democratic city nominating convention.

HENRY B. MONNING.

WATERWORKS TRUSTEE.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for water works trustee, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

P. J. SINGLETON.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for waterworks trustee, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention, Tuesday, April 5, 1898.

C. H. WALTEMATH.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for the office of water works trustee, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

WM. TAGTMYER.

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for the office os justice of the peace, subject to the decision of the Wayne township democratic nominating convention.

HARRY F. FRANCE.

FOR SENATOR.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I am a candidate for state senator, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention of Allen county.

GEORGE V. KELL.

FOR JOINT SENATOR.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce that I am a candidate for joint senator for the district composed of Adams and Allen counties, subject to the democratic convention of June 4, 1898.

J. F. SNOW.

Decatur, Ind.

FOR SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for judge of the superior court of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention of June 4

CHARLES M. DAWSON.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Announce that I am a candidate for the nomination for the judgship of the Allen superior court, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

THOMAS E. ELLISON.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—I hereby beg leave to announce to the democratic party of Allen county that I will be a candidate for nomination for judge of the superior court of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic convention to be held on the 4th day of June next.

ROBERT LOWRY.

FOR CLERK.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for the office of clerk of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic county convention.

DR. L. S. NULL.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Announce that I am a candidate for the office of county clerk, subject to the decision of the next democratic nominating convention.

FRANK J. BELOT.

FOR COUNTY AUDITOR.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that will be a candidate for auditor of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

LOUIS J. BOBILYA.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce that I will be a candidate for auditor of Allen county subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

WILLIAM MEYER, JR.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce the name of Captain John H. Rohan as a candidate for treasurer of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention, and oblige

A HOST OF DEMOCRATS.

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WILLIAM SCOTT,
Lafayette Township.

FOR COUNTY RECORDER.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce that I will be a candidate for recorder of Allen county, subject to the decision of the next democratic nominating convention.

FREDERICK FRY,
Jefferson Township.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for recorder of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

CHARLES W. SCHERER.

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CHARLES M. GILLETT.

FOR CORONER.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce that I am a candidate for renomination for the office of coroner of Allen county for a second term, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

JOHN H. KAPPEL, M. D.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce that I am a candidate for the nomination for the office of coroner of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

DR. W. W. BARNETT.

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EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for the office of surveyor of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

JOHN A. BUSHMAN.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce that I will be a candidate for surveyor of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention June 4th.

CHARLES W. BRANSTRATOR.

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Editor Sentinel: Please announce that I will be a candidate for renomination for a second term for the office of sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic county convention.

ALBERT E. MELCHING.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce that I am a candidate for the office of commissioner of the Third district of Allen county subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

C. E. ORFF.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce that I am a candidate for renomination for the office of commissioner of the First district of Allen county subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

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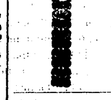

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WANTED—Six lady solicitors at 22 Arcade building. 30tf

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WANTED—If you want to borrow money see "ad" on first page, first column. Room 3, Arcade, upstairs. 7tf

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WANTED—Employment Office—Good places secured for cooks, dining-room girls, chambermaids, girls for general housework, etc. First-class help furnished always. Mrs. Fitzgerald, 39 W. Washington. 21-1m

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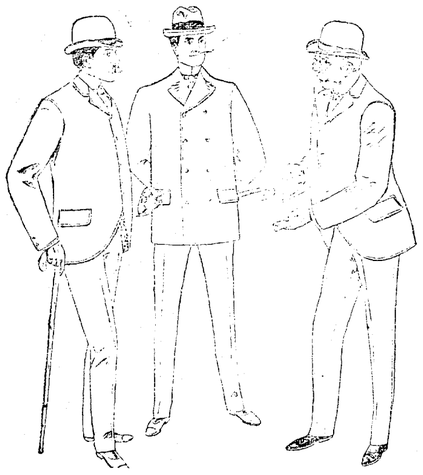

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The Evening Sentinel.

MONDAY, APRIL 4, 1898.

OUR TELEPHONES.

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The Weather.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—For Indiana: Rain tonight; Tuesday partly cloudy, with colder and rain in south portion; brisk to high northeast winds.

NEWS NOTES.

Rex Dryer returned to Ann Arbor today.

Mrs. L. A. Contlivre has returned from a two weeks' visit in Chicago.

Mrs. G. L. Clayton goes to Indianapolis this week for a short visit.

The Modern Woodmen will hold a social at the Red Men's hall this evening.

Mrs. R. J. Fisher arrived home today, after several months' sojourn at Pasadena, Cal.

Mrs. C. H. Raut and children, of Auburn, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Mahurin.

Mrs. W. W. Mungen and Mrs. Gossett left Saturday for a visit in Richmond and Indianapolis.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Fry, of 16 East Taber street, is quite sick with tonsilitis.

The Woman's Christian union will meet at the Beary street M. E. church Tuesday afternoon, at 2:30.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Miller, of South Calhoun street—a girl. Mr. Miller is salesman for Louis Fox & Co.

C. W. Davis, of Chicago, representing the L. A. W. Bulletin, and "Good Roads," was visiting prominent wheelmen in the city Saturday.

Vance Campbell and V. Post, of the Central Union Telephone company, have left for Bluffton, Ind., on a two weeks' vacation among some of their old friends.

The Misses Knight entertained Saturday afternoon at progressive hearts in honor of Miss Gorham, of Rockport, Ill. Miss Kate Beebe succeeded in disposing of the greatest number of hearts and was awarded the prize.

Some children playing about a barn on the Niemeyer property on Madison street Saturday afternoon, set fire to the building. The department was called out but the blaze was extinguished before much damage had been done.

Arrangements have been completed for the match between Ed Connors, of Grand Rapids, and "Kid" Ryan, of this city. The event will take place before the Athletic club on next Friday evening. An interesting program has been provided for.

The smallest bicycle ever brought to Fort Wayne is on exhibition in the window of Mr. Barthold, agent of the Luthy and St. Julien wheels, in the Arcade. The wheel is ridden by Baby Barthold, aged only three years, and the wheels are only fourteen inches in diameter. The little rider has no trouble riding alongside a grown person.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Allen County Orphan's home will be held at the home on the afternoon of Tuesday, April 5, at 3 o'clock. It is a rule of the association that if any member or stockholder shall fail to be present at two consecutive meetings, unless excused by the trustees, his stock shall be forfeited.

The Saxon society of the city celebracted the Ninticth anniversary of the founding of their society Saturday night. The celebration occurred at the old Saengerbund hall on West Main street. It was a jolly crowd of Saxons that gathered at that place to make merry that night. Many of them were enmasque and presented a grotesque sight.

Superintendent Johnson, of the School for Feeble Minded Youth, has received a letter from the attorney of the heirs of the late Mr. Spangler, of Auburn, informing him that the family has decided not to mortgage the old homestead so as to pay the school the $1,000 which was bequeathed it in the will of Mr. Spangler, but that they would give the cash. It is probable that the money will be used for the erection of a playhouse.

Carpets, Mattings, Rugs, Curtains and Draperies.

A few years ago we commenced to handle the above line of goods and our trade has increased from hundreds to thousands of dollars.

Wishing to eclipse former sales, we have laid in a larger supply than usual and hope the assortment will bear your inspection before buying.

CARPETS—Granite Ingrains, 25c; half wool, 40c; best all-wool, 60c; Eight Wire Taps, 65c: Ten Wire Taps, 75c, and Best Moquettes, 90c per yard.

MATTINGS—A good one for 12c and Cotton Warp at 18c; Fancy, 25c per yard.

RUGS—A large assortment from the smallest at 45c and ranging up to $3.00 each.

CURTAINS AND DRAPERIES—All selected and latest patterns. A good pair for 45c and others up to $2.50.

Our charge for making and laying Carpets is 7c per yard.

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FRUIT HOUSE.

Sergeant Harkenrider is taking his vacation.

E. M. Pettit, of Hicksville, Ohio, is in the city.

Miss Emma Dickover Sundayed with friends in Huntington.

Miss Helen Mohr is entertaining Miss Lillian Maynard, of New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Kinnaird are at home at No. 25 West Williams street.

John Bain, of Montpelier, spent Sunday in the city the guest of friends.

A. F. Diehl and William Haifer, of Defiance, Ohio, were in the city over Sunday.

S. L. Woods, of the Wood Tailoring establishment, spent Sunday in Lima, Ohio.

Bishop B. R. Jones will preach at the East Creighton avenue Free Methodist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Capp, of this city, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Bixler, of Huntington.

Miss Clara Boese has returned from Larwill to spend the Easter holidays with her parents.

Christ's Lutheran church, corner Jefferson and Webster streets, will hold services this evening, at 7:45.

Mrs. George Parrot, of Warsaw, is in Fort Wayne visiting her mother, Mrs, Joseph Langard. She will remain until after Easter.

Mrs. Ernest Schliescke, of Chicago, is visiting her brother, L. E. Rehling, of John street. She expects to remain here a week.

Miss Mary Codling, of Norfolk, Edgland, arrived here Saturday and will be the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Harry Evans, of 30 Wilt street, for several months.

An urgent request has been issued that all members attend the meeting of the Union Veteran Legion this evening. Business of importance is to be transacted.

Miss Susie Ferguson has gone to Sturgis, Mich. to spend several days with friends. She was accompanied by the daughter of F. E. Anderson, the mail carrier.

The Fort Wayne Bimetallic union will meet at the circuit court room this evening to select thirteen delegates to the convention of the bimetallic clubs of the Ohio valley, to be held in Indianapolis April 6 and 7.

The young men of the Cathedral fully organized yesterday and had their first practice. W. Lauer was elected captain, C. Eckert, assistant captain, and Mr. Fleming, manager. They have some of the best talent in the city.

A very enjoyable neighborhood party was given Saturday afternoon by Mrs. Charles Worden in honor of Mrs. Silver, of Columbus. The guests took their fancy work and stitched busily as they talked. Dainty refreshments were served.

The E'Galantes enjoyed a dance at Sons of Columbus hall Saturday night. About forty young people were present. The chaperons were Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Fitch, Mr. and Mrs. A. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Freyer and Miss Mayme C. Fuller.

Officers for the ensuing year in the Current Literature club were elected at a meeting held with Mrs. C. J. Lose, last week, as follows: Mrs. Will Freese, president: Mrs. Arthur Hadley, vice president; Mrs. Newell Ransom, secretary: Mrs. M. C. Baker, treasurer.

E. J. Lennon went to Chicago last night and is expected home this evening with the chainless wheel invented by Harry Buell. The wheel will be placed on exhibition in the show window of the Randall Cycle Co., where Mr. Buell will explain to visitors its superiority over other chainless bicycles.

Thomas Beveridge, brother of Mrs. Thomas Phillips, of the north side, arrived in the city last Thursday, having made the journey by bicycle. This morning Mr. Beveridge left wheel en route to Rochester, N. Y. He reports the roads in good condition for this season of the year.

Attractive invitations have been issued for an important and interesting quarterly meeting of the Young Woman's Christian association, which will be held Tuesday evening. There will be a talk by Miss Shank, state secretary, music by the ladies' chorus and girls' branch, a drill by the advanced class in gymnastics and reports of work done during the past quarter.

The advertising for the R. G. Ingersoll lecture is the finest seen in Fort Wayne for years. Bill boards in different parts of the city are painted in colors announcing the coming of the eloquent lecturer and each advertisement contains an emblem of American patriotism. Col. John A. Scott, who has charge of the advertising, has opened an office at 10 East Berry street, where today he was regaling his callers with fine cigars and sweet cider.

Patterson is the place to buy your spring overcoat.

Big Reduction
In price Canned Goods, Evaporated Apples and Holland Herring at The Greatest.
2 lb cans Gooseberries, 5c.
2 lb cans White Cherries, 6c.
2 lb cans Blueberries, 6c.
3 lb cans Green Gage Plums, 7c.
Evaporated Dried Apples, 7c lb.
Holland Herring, 80c keg.
THE GREATEST GROCERY.

See the beautiful Easter ties at Reuben S. Patterson's.

C. W. Boerger has removed his real estate and insurance office to No. 76 Calhoun street, over Mommer's shoe store. 4-3t

A close shave.

Ticket 38,264 is worth $10 at Reuben S. Patterson's.

Ira White, of Elkhart, is in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Archer are in Atlanta, Ga.

Ben Meyerson, of Philadelphia, is at the Wayne.

Henry Meyer, of Meyer Bros.' hat store, is on the sick list.

W. P. Denny has returned from a business trip to Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. George Oilar visited in Lafayette Sunday and today.

Miss Emma Holloway, of Indianapolis, is the guest of Miss Lillian Fisk.

Henry Traxler, of Nevada, Ohio, visited friends in Fort Wayne over Sunday.

Miss Margaret Ahern, of Valparaiso, is the guest of relatives in Fort Wayne.

Judge C. W. Watkins, of Huntington, tranacted business in Fort Wayne today.

There will be a meeting of Home lodge No. 342, F. and A. M., tomorrow evening.

Miss Laura Peltier is expected in Fort Wayne this week to spend the spring vacation.

Miss Millie Plessinger, of Bluffton, is in the city the guest of Miss Lizzie Geary, of No. 60 Cass street.

Mrs. J. W. Passmore is lying seriously ill at the home of her niece, Mrs. J. B. Fonner, No. 87 West Jefferson street.

P. B. McCabe and T. A. Black, of Vekol, Ariz., are at the Wayne. Mr. McCabe is an attorney in Vekol and is interested with R. J. Fisher in some mines in the west.

The Hod Carriers' union has received its charter from the Building Laborers International Protective union of America. The lathers have also received a charter from the American Federation of Labor. Both these organizations are affiliated with the Trades and Labor council.

W. P. Smith, of the Smith & Randall Lumber company, received serious injuries Saturday. He was superintending the loading of a Wabash car, and in some manner lost his footing and fell to the ground. The ligaments in one of his legs were badly strained, and he was conveyed to his home, where Dr. Greenawalt is attending him. Mr. Smith will be confined to his home for several days. Only a few days ago his son was badly cut and is still receiving medical aid.

The quarterly meeting of the Young Women's Christian association, to be held Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock, promises to be of special interest. This is an important and interesting meeting, coming as it does at the close of the winter's work. Besides their reports, some of the committees will practically demonstrate their work. The girls' branch and ladies' chorus will both contribute music and the advanced class in gymnastics will give a short exhibition. An enjoyable feature of the program will be the singing of the Misses Evans and Harding. Through these meetings the members and friends are kept informed of the work of the association and it is hoped that a large number will be present.

Yesterday was palm Sunday, a feast of particular significance in the Catholic church. The day is set aside to commemorate the entry of Christ into Jerusalem previous to his crucifixion, when the populace hailed him with glad acclaim as a conqueror. The ceremonies commemorating his triumphal entry, are among the most beautiful in the Catholic liturgy. Previous to the mass the blessing of the palms takes place. Branches of palm, commemorative of the symbols of the conqueror carried by the people of Jerusalem in going to meet Jesus, are first blessed and then distributed among the people, to be kept as reminders of the proneness of humanity to render empty honors to God. After this comes the mass, during which the passion is sung, and this is a most impressive ceremonial. It is usually sung by three priests and is the story of the crucifiction, as related in the gospel of St. Matthew. One of the priests, usually the celebrant of the mass, chants the words spoken by Jesus, while another chants the narrative, and the third the portions of the sacred story quoting the other characters in the great tragedy of Calvary. The faithful usually have prayer books, with translations of the gospel, as sung by the priests in Latin. At the Cathedral the passion was sung during solemn high mass, at 10:30, and at St. Patrick's and the other churches at the usual hour for high mass.

A close shave.

LENTEN SERVICES.

Plymouth Church This Week--In Holy Places With the Master.

There will be special Lenten services held in the lecture room of Plymouth church this week, on three evenings and one afternoon. Each service will consist of appropriate responsive readings and hymns, and a short sermon by the pastor, Rev. Jas. S. Ainslie.

The topics and dates of each meeting are as follows:

TUESDAY EVENING, 7:30, APRIL 5.

"In the Guest Chamber:" the Place of Friendship. Mark 14:12-16; John 15:9-17.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, APRIL 6.

"In the Garden:" the Place of Suffering. Matthew 26:30-46.

THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 7.

"In the Judgment Halls:" the Place of Injustice and Indignity. Luke 22:66-23:25.

GOOD FRIDAY AFTERNOON AT 4 O'CLOCK

"On the Cross:" the Place of Self-Sacrifice. Luke 23:26-46.

It is suggested that all who are interested in these services cut out this program and keep it for reference.

A close shave.

ATTEMPTED HOLD-UP

Three Men Tackle Fred Helling and Get Left.

Doolittle and Young Fight At Their South Calhoun Street Store--Police News.

Saturday night while en route to his home, Fred Helling, jr., was attacked by three men, who attempted to rob him. Fred was equal to the emergency and gave the fellows such a fight that they were unable to get anything from him, although one of his wrists was quite seriously cut. Mr. Helling went home and returned with his guns on a hunt for the desperate fellows who assaulted him. He failed to find them, however. The matter was not reported to the police.

PARTNERS FIGHT.

Willis Doolittle and George W. Young, who conduct a grocery store and saloon at 292 South Calhoun street, came to blows Saturday night and were arrested by Officer Elliott. Doolittle had Young arrested for selling liquor without a license and Justice Bullerman acquitted Young, who went back to the store and had some trouble with Doolittle. They matter was patched up until about 8:30 Saturday evening when the partners quarreled and faught. The were taken to the city prison and released on bond, Attorney John H. Aiken representing Young and T. W. Wilson Doolitte. This morning Mayor Scherer continued the case until Thursday. Meanwhile Superintendent is carrying the key to the store, which is closed. Doolittle is carrying a badly bruised face.

POLICE COURT.

Two vagrants were before his honor, Mayor Scherer, this morning. One was released and the other sent to jail for fifteen days.

Lieutenant Lapp has compiled the following report of the arrests made by the police and detectives during the month of April, 1898:

Intoxication	17
Vagrancy	18
Gambling	3
Assault and battery	2
Carrying concealed weapons	1
Petty gambling	1
Associating with prostitutes	1
Being tramps	5
Criminal provocation	1
Deserting wife and children	1
Total	48

Tramps lodged in the police station during the month of March, 154.

WALL PAPER.

We invite you to call and see our new novelties in Wall Hangings for the spring. We have them all—BAGDADS, INGRAIN DENIMS, ORIENTAL TAPESTRIES, all the deep shades in REDS, BLUES, GREENS, BROWNS, to match the new colors in carpets. All shades of INGRAINS, RAW SILKS, LEATHER EFFECTS, CINDELIERS.

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Mr. Vincent, First Presbyterian church tonight; topic: "James Russell Lowell."

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J. W. MAAG,
4-6 The Shoeman.

SILVER MEETING.

Tonight, at the circuit court room, the Fort Wayne Bimetallic union will meet to choose delegates to the convention of the League of Bimetallic Clubs of the Ohio Valley, to be held in Inianapolis, April 6 and 7. Those who expect or desire to attend the convention are specially requested to be present.

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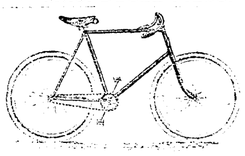
ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

Received of Tribe of Ben Hur $1,000, full amount of certificate held by my husband, who was killed Sunday, Feb. 28, only seven days intervening between his death and payment of claim. I desire to express my gratitude to the order for their prompt payment and to the members of the local court for their sympathy in my great bereavement.

MRS. BELLE FILES.



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All Dollar Gloves are warranted.
New Plaid Ribbons for Easter at 20 and 25c.
New Laces for Easter.
New Corsets for Easter.
New Hosiery for Easter.
12½c Ladies' Hose, worth 17c.
15c Ladies' Hose, worth 20c.
19c Ladies' Hose, worth 25c.
25c Ladies' Fancy Hose, worth 35c.
Children's Plaid Hose at 15, 20 and 25c.
Special Bargains in Black Dress Goods for this week.
Special Bargains in Lace Curtains for this week.
Special Bargains in Tapestry Curtains for this week.
Special Sale of Rugs this week.
3½c Dark Fancy Prints.
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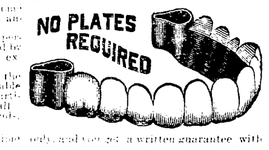

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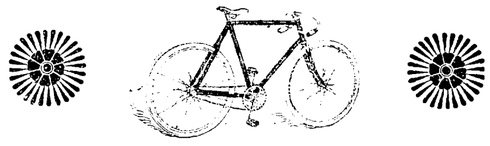

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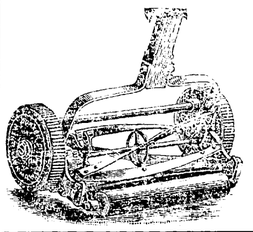

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TIDAL WAVE OF DEATH.

Levee Breaks and Shawneetown, Ill., is Completely Inundated.

The Loss of Life is Believed to Have Been Five Hundred.

Survivors Are Without Shelter and Have Very Little Food.

High Water Has Practically Cut Off Communication With the Devastated Town and Work of Relief is Greatly Hampered--Governor Tanner Takes Prompt Measures of Relief--Details of Disaster Hard to Obtain.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., April 4.—Early last evening the levee at Shawneetown, Ill., broke above the town, and from all information that can be secured here is is learned that a great part of the place has been destroyed and a large number of people, estimated from 200 to 500, have been drowned.

Shawneetown is seventy-five miles below Evansville on the Ohio river. It is situated in a valley of extremely low land, with hills skirting it in the rear and a twenty-five foot levee in front running from hill to hill. The town is very much in the position of a fortified city, and when the levee gave way a mile above town, under the pressure of the very high river, the water shot through a twenty-foot opening and struck the place like a hurricane, sweeping everything before it.

Houses were turned and tossed about like boxes. The people had no warning of the break and for that reason many were caught. Those at home sought refuge in second stories and on housetops. Those in the streets were carried before the avalanche of water and probably a majority were drowned.

A survivor came from the place by skiff to a telephone several miles away and asked aid from Evansville. He said more than two hundred people were drowned and he had reason to believe the number would reach five hundred.

The levee broke on the left side of Shawneetown about 5 o'clock. Twenty minutes afterwards the town was flooded and a few buildings were thrown down by the force of the water when it broke through the levee.

The roar of the flood alarmed the people and all who could took refuge in the school house, court house and Riverside hotel, substantial buildings which it was believed could resist the force of the water.

The town is flooded to a depth of ten or fifteen feet on the Main street. So far as known only the proprietors of two clothing stores succeeded in saving any of their stock.

NEWS ONLY BY TELEPHONE.

CARMI, Ill., April 4.—It is now estimated that the number of drowned at Shawneetown is 150. Shawneetown citizens have telephoned Carmi to telegraph to Governor Tanner to send food, supplies, coffins and tents.

Shawnee is completely cut off from telegraph or rail communication and news can be transmitted only by telephone from a point eight or ten miles away.

RELIEF TRAIN STARTED.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 4.—A special train will leave here for Shawneetown on the Chicago and Alton at 2 o'clock this p. m. with a supply of provisions, blankets and tents. It was the intention at first to send all the caskets that could be obtained. Only a few, however, were found available, and Adjutant General Reece wired a St. Louis coffin factory to immediately load a car with caskets. The car will be attached to the special train at East St. Louis. About three freight-car loads of provisions will be attached to the train.

PEOPLE WERE AT CHURCH.

Flood Swept Over the Town Like Water Through a Mill Race.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., April 4.—The Louisville and Nashville railroad accomodation train, from southern Illinois, arrived here at 10:30 o'clock. It was expected many people from Shawneetown would be aboard, but it is learned that the trains on this branch have for a week proceeded no further than Eldora, ten miles away.

The trainmen bring the report that the family of Sheriff Galloway was completely wiped out by the flood.

It is reported that the levee broke while the people were at church and that many were drowned because there was no warning, the flood sweeping over the town like water through a mill race.

C. L. Stores, who had charge of the provision boat from Evansville, telephones from Mount Vernon, Ind., that he has just returned from Shawheetown. Mayor Darney now estimates the loss of life at 100 people.

There is no list of names prepared as yet. He confirms the report that Sheriff Galloway's family is drowned.

The bodies were recovered at 10 o'clock this morning all clasped in each other's embrace. The levee broke on the north side and without warning, catching the people like rats in a trap. The entire town is submerged from ten to twenty feet. The people are huddled in the Riverside hotel, court house and school house, all of which are two-story buildings.

Evansville's provision boat arrived early this morning. Mayor Akin's dispatch was read to those assembled in the Riverside hotel amid breathless silence.

When it was completed the people shouted "God bless Evansville and her mayor."

The ladies wept aloud and tears streamed down the faces of the men. Only two negroes are reported drowned and they were very old people.

CALL FOR RELIEF.

Governor Tanner Responds Promptly With All Means at Hand.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 4.—Governor Tanner today received the following message relative to the Shawneetown disaster:

"RIDGEWAY, Ill., April 4.

"To John R. Tanner, Governor:

"The ground gave way under the levee at 4:15 p. m., and the loss of life is nearly one-fourth of our population. We have no provisions to feed our people for one meal. We need tents, clothing for the living, burial caskets to bury the dead. Help us at once.

"D. M. CARNEY, Mayor."

"CARMI, Ill., April 4.

"To John R. Tanner, Governor:

"Mr. George Geotzman, a reliable merchant of Shawneetown, just now confirms report of levee break last night. Says the mayor sent to Ridgeway, the nearest point of communication, to get a message in his name to you to send tents, provisions and burial caskets immediately via. East St. Louis and Enfield, where a train from Ridgeway will be in waiting. Geotzman says the scene is worse than Johnstown. Four hundred are estimated drowned and all property lost and remainder of people on levee and house tops and rain adds to distress. Answer me here and I will communicate by telephone.

"JOHN M. CREBS,

"President White County Telephone Co."

Governor Tanner, after consultation with Dr. F. W. Wines, secretary of the state board of charities, sent the following message:

"W. S. Phillips, President Ridgeway Bank, Ridgeway, Ill.

"Hon. Fred Wines, secretary of the state board of charities, and Miss Julia Lathrop will leave on first train for Shawneetown. The doctor represents me in caring for the sufferers. Co-operate with him in forming relief committee. I authorize you to draw upon me for $3,000. Have issued proclamation appealing to the public for relief of the flood sufferers. Am preparing to send a train with tents to shelter and accommodate 1,000 people; three hundred blankets and twelve hundred emergency rations.

"JOHN R. TANNER,

"Springfield. Governor."

RELIEF ON THE WAY.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 4.—Dr. F. H. Wines, secretary state board of charities, left here this forenoon with a special train over the Chicago and Alton for Shawnestown via St. Louis, from which place he reaches Shawneetown over the Louisville and Nashville railroad. Dr. Wines takes the tents and rations of the Illinois National guard for 1,000 people.

INDIANA'S WAR FUND

State Has Plenty of Cash for the Purpose.

An Extra Session of the Legislature Would Not be Necessary in Case of War.

INDIANAPOLIS, April 4.—In case war were declared and Indiana were called on for troops the state is in excellent financial condition for such an emergency. It would not be necessary to call a special session of the legislature. Governor Mount said last night that as he understood the situation all money not otherwise appropriated would be available for a war emergency. In June, if no emergency arises, there will be in the state treasury about $400,000, which will be applied on the state debt. Of this amount $100,000 goes into the sinking fund, is sacred to that purpose and could not be drawn on. Notwithstanding there would be available a sum large enough to meet emergencies for some time to come. The governor thinks that if there were to be a war of great proportions, calling for the enlistment and arming of many men, the funds available might be exhausted. This is of course dependent on the magnitude of the war, if there shall be one. But even if the available funds were exhausted the governor does not think it would be necessary to call a special session of the legislature, as he is of the opinion the state executive would have the right to borrow money if that were deemed more expedient than to call the legislature together. The condition would be somewhat like that during the civil war when Governor Morton borrowed money, except that at that time there was in session a legislature which refused to authorize the loan. He borrowed the money and waited until a loyal legislature reimbursed him. Governor Mount is confident no such condition would exist now, as the people of the state are anxious to do their share in sustaining the reputation of the nation and the regular session of the legislature would doubtless approve the administration in a war loan. In view of the fact that the regular session of the legislature will occur in such a short time after it might be necessary to borrow, the governor does not appear to think it would be necessary to call a special session.

"Of course, those things are questions to be decided as the emergency arises," said he. "My understanding is that the state has ample funds for emergencies and that there would be no trouble in raising more if it were necessary."

THE POWERS MOVE.

Exchange of Notes Concerning Mediation.

It is Definitely Learned in Washington That European Nations Will Tender Good Offices--The Latest.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—3:10 P. M.—It has just been learned here definitely that an exchange of notes between the great powers of Europe has begun concerning mediation on the Spanish-American question. At least two of the embassies in Washington have received information that this exchange is now in progress, but no definite instructions have been received by the diplomatic representatives here.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—Conservative senators who were at the capitol early today announced that the outlook in the Cuban matter appeared very ominous to them. One of them, who has been especially optimistic and anxious to avert war, stated that everything possible had been done and failed and that the president had decided to inform congress definitely that he had exhausted all diplomatic resources to settle the Cuban question and to leave the matter to congress. There had been a hope, he said, that Spain might be controlled by the financial interests, but he thought the time had gone by for that and that the people of Spain could not be restrained.

RECORD BREAKERS.

Rev. Leeper and Dr. Wenger Make a Quick Trip Across the Atlantic.

THE SENTINEL is in receipt of a letter from Dr. Wenger, dated March 22, on board the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse. Rev. Leeper was also on board the ship, which landed in Bremen the day the letter was written, having made the trip from New York to England in five days and seventeen hours. The Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse is 649 feet long, has fifty boilers, sixty-four engines, consumes 500 tons of coal per day and employs 470 seamen and can carry 1,500 people.

The Fort Wayne tourists report pleasant weather and plenty to eat, meals being served three times a day and lunch at 10, 3 and 8 o'clock.

ACTION OUTLINED.

Probable Scope of President's Message.

Document Will go to Congress Wednesday.

It Will Demand Independence for Cuba.

Representative Grout Introduces Cuban Joint Resolution in the House--Foreign Affairs Committees.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 4.—It is altogether probable that the president's message to congress on the the Cuban situation will not be sent in before Wednesday.

What specific recommendations the president will make in this message can not be stated at this time, nor is it certain that the president himself has yet fully worked out all the details.

The general features of the message, however, have been decided upon.

The president, it is learned, will favor a recognition of independence and forcible intervention, if necessary, to prevent further hostilities in Cuba.

Spain's answer in effect will be declared to be unsatisfactory and to leave little or no reasonable ground for hope that a satisfactory settlement of the Cuban question is at all likely to be reached through diplomatic agencies.

The president will favor intervention and his message will make no recommendations or suggestions in conflict with that idea. The disaster to the Maine will be prominently brought to the fore and will be treated in a vigorous manner.

The whole subject, it is believed, will be discussed in a spirt of patriotism that must commend itself to the entire American people. This policy, however, it is said, does not necessarily involve war, but leaves the determination of that question to Spain herself.

Without something, now unexpected, happens within a comparatively short time the indications point to at least a show of force against Havana.

The published report that the pope has offered to mediate between this government and Spain with a view to a peaceful solution of the difficulty is again officially denied This government, it is stated, cannot under any circumstances accept mediation or interference from any foreign power, nor up to this time has any been proffered.

GROUT'S MEASURE.

Introduces in the House a Cuban Independence Resolution.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—In the house Mr. Grout (rep., Vt.) today introduced the following:

"Joint resolution recognizing the independence of the republic of Cuba, and for other purposes:

"Resolved by the senate and house of representatives that the United States of America recognizes the republic of Cuba as a free and independent state;

"That the president is hereby authorized to expend out of the appropriation made for the national defense in the act approved March 9, 1898, not exceeding $500,000 to provide non-combatant Cubans with the necessary food, raiment and medicine for their immediate relief from starvation; also necessary implements of agriculture and seeds for planting a crop;

"Provided, that the relief herein authorized to non-comabtant Cubans shall be extended only through duly authorized agents of the United States; and to this end the president is authorized to request the co-operation of the proper officers of Spain in the island of Cuba."

Mr. Grout said that he believed the president's message would go beyond a resolution of this kind.

BEHIND LOCKED DOORS.

House Committee on Foreign Affairs Have Important Meeting.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—When the house committee on foreign affairs went into session today all the doors were ordered locked and no cards were allowed to be taken into members.

Every member of the committee was pledged to secrecy before the committee adjourned

One of the republican members, however, said, in response to persistent inquiries

"We did nothing."

The committee will meet again tomorrow. Members of the committee do not expect anything to be done in the house today.

It was stated that the meeting was of considerable importance Chairman Adams informed the committee that the president would soon communicate to congress his views on the Cuban question and that action in advance of his message would be premature and extremely inadvisable

Some of the democratic members of the committee demanded to know when the message would be sent in, and Mr. Adams said that Wednesday at the outside, but he hoped that it would be sent tomorrow. The question of treating the Maine as a separate incident was also considered. On this subject there was divergent opinion

It is understood that the purpose of the meeting is to prepare and report in accordance with the recommendations of the president, if those recommendations are sufficiently developed, and the message sure to come in tomorrow. It is the desire of the committee to be ready to report immediately following the reading of the message, whether it comes Tuesday or Wednesday

THE MAINE DISASTER

Will Be Distinct in Senate Foreign Affairs Committee's Report

WASHINGTON, April 4.—The senate committee on foreign relations resumed its sitting today The committee has arrived at definite conclusion as to the resolutions it will recommend, and Senator Davis has prepared the report to accompany the resolutions This report will deal with the situation in vigorous language, and it is understood that much will be made in it of the Maine disaster.

The committee has accepted the finding of the court of inquiry so far as it goes, but has exercised the prerogative of extending the inquiry and of drawing conclusions in advance of those withdrawn by the Maine court This report will be in the nature of an addresss to the country, in justification of the resolutions to be reported by the committee.

AN ACT OF WAR.

Senator Perkins so Declares the Destruction of the Maine.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—The capitol was jammed today with people interested in Cuban affairs. The Chandler resolution calling for consular correspondence went over, on motion of Mr. Davis, chairman of the foreign relations committee, until Wednesday and the Quay independence resolution followed.

Senator Perkins, of California, in a speech on the Cuban question, declared that the blowing up of the Maine by the Spanish officials was an act of war and he believed it was so regarded by nations of the world.

THE PAPAL EFFORT.

The Manner in Which Leo's Offices Were Tendered.

It Was Represented to the Pope That His Mediation Would be Acceptable to President McKinley.

MADRID, April 4.—1:20 P. M.—The correspondent here of the Associated Press, has just had an interview with a high personage of great authority who cleared up many discrepancies in previous reports, showing just how the papal intervention occurred.

Unfortunately, the name of this high personage cannot be quoted, but, no one is better qualified to speak with knowledge of the subject. This minister said.

"There is no papal telegram whatever. What happened was that the Spanish ambassador at the vatican was approached by Cardinal Rampolla (the papal secretary of state), who told him the president of the United Sates had allowed it to be understood that papal intervention would be acceptable. The Spanish ambassador wired here to that effect, and thereupon we indicated that through having sent a categorical reply to President McKinley, the terms having previously been conceded to the last point consistent with Spain's honor, we were certain the pope would respect the rights and honor of Spain, and agreed to his intervention.

"It was impossible for our regular army, fighting rebels, to agree to offer an armistice at the suggestion of a certain foreign power, but when the father of Christendom, without material force, but with vast moral power, offered intervention, we could not refuse accepting, knowing well that reliance might be placed upon his excellent judgment.

"So, not an armistice, but a truce—a truce of God—has been agreed upon. This, however, requires action upon the part of the United States—consequential action to our concession. The rebels have been, designedly we believe, assisted and encouraged by the presence of American warships in the neighborhood of the island.

"A continuance of this would militate against the pope's good offices, and against the hopes of peace.

"We know President McKinley has worked for peace, but an influence has been growing like a rising tide and it is now a question whether any barrier or embankment he would set across its progress would be strong enough to withstand its force

"Spain has shown her willingness to secure peace by concessions to the last point consistent with her national honor.

"The future depends upon the power of the American government in controlling hostile public opinion."

MEDIATION OF POPE.

Nothing Known in Washington of the Step.

Unequivocal Denial From the Administration.

The Story That Was Sent Out From Madrid.

It is Pronounced a Spanish Bonbon--President's Message Will go to Congress Wednesday, it is Believed.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—President McKinley was up early today and in readiness to take up the serious work of the day

The past few days have been very fatiguing to him and he has shown to some extent the effect of the numerous conferences that have occupied much of his time and the long deliberations preliminary to the labors of framing the eagerly awaited message to congress.

Today he appeared to be feeling well and moved about briskly with a cheerful countenance.

Assistant Secretary Day was the first public man to appear at the white house He came about 9 o'clock and remained some time. Representative Grout, of Vermont, came very early by appointment with the president.

The interview between the president and Representative Grout lasted only a few minutes but it was long enough to allow a discussion of the situation and an outline of what General Grout proposed to do in several particulars at the opening of congress today. General Grout has drafted a resolution and a bill for introduction in the house today. One of them calls for the absolute removal of the Spanish flag from the island the recognition of the republic of Cuba and the distribution by this government of supplies to be sent by this country and paid for out of the $50,000,000 fund now at the disposal of the president.

The other is a bill appropriating $1,000,000 to raise the wreck of the Maine to ascertain in detail exactly what occurred when it was blown up. Chairman Cannon, of the house committee on appropriations, and Chairman Dingley, of the ways and means committee, were with the president for a few minutes He congratulated the president on his good spirits, and advising him that the committee met today and asked if there was anything that he wished to communicate.

The president, however, had nothing to submit at this time, although he spoke in general terms of the requirements that war would precipitate on the country.

Senator Gray, of Delaware, a leading member of the committee on foreign relations, was closeted with the president some time and talked over the situation at some length.

Major Heistand, the president's military aide, and Representative Barrett, of Massachusetts, were at the white house for a little while during the early hours, but neither had a consultation with the executive.

Representative Barrett said he believed the best solution of the whole affair would be to submit to congress a proposition for the recognition of a republic.

That he advocated as a simple step on which congress would immediately act, and he expressed the belief that the recognition would work out its own ends.

The official statement emanating from the foreign office at Madrid as to papal mediation has received an unquivocal denial from the administration. Several persons who conferred with the president in the course of the day inquired about it and received the response that if the pope contemplates mediation this government knows nothing of it.

The chairman of one of the most important committees in congress, just after emerging from the executive chambers, promptly stamped the spanish statement of mediation between Spain and the United States as a Madrid roorback:

"Why should the pope mediate?" he suggested, "There is nothing to mediate. I don't believe the step is contemplated Why, the Diety is the only one who should be recognized to step in between the two. Why, I regarded the statement in such light that it never occurred to me even to mention it."

This member like others referred to mediation between the United States and not between Spain and the insurgents, the latter being a matter with which this country has no concern.

A leading administration member of congress, after a close conference at the white house today said:

"The message will go into congress about Wednesday. The president has taken a very firm and determined attitude and he means to carry out that policy to the letter The president intends to recognize Cuban independence and may go further than that, and propose intervention.

"This is his policy and it will be disclosed in the official action very shortly."

THE MADRID STORY.

Some Details of the Alleged Mediation of the Pope.

MADRID, Sunday, April 3.—8:30 p. m.—(Delayed in transmission.)—Events are moving rapidly and the best informed people here believe an armistice between the Spaniards and Cubans will be proclaimed within two days.

The pope, it now appears, sent an eloquent telegram to the queen regent urging Spain to grant an armistice in Cuba, with the view of allowing negotiations to be carried on between the insurgents and the Cuban authorities for the early conclusion of a permanent peace

The pope dwelt on the suffering in Cuba and urged that her majesty take action on humane and not on political grounds.

The Pope added that "as the father of all the faithful," he could not intervene unless a stop was put to the shedding of blood of the people who are God's sons.

Therefore, he asks for a suspension of hostilities

Previous to taking this action, it is added, the pope, through a representative at Washington, asked President McKinley if it would be agreeable to him should the pope advise the queen regent to grant an armistice and it is understood the president expressed willingness that the pope should do anything in his power.

Since then the extraordinary activity of the ambassadors has been noted and it is claimed, as a result to all of the representations made to Spain on the subject, Senor Moret, the minister for the colonies who, throughout has been anxious to do anything to preserve peace, consistant with what he conceives to be Spain's honor, had an interview with the United States minister, General Stewart L. Woodford today (Sunday), at which he expressed Spain's willingness to grant an immediate armistice.

He pointed out that the only condition Spain asks in return is one "which America would grant even if unasked," and refers only to "her action after Spain proclaims the armistice."

The United States minister was busy at the legation all day long, but the correspondent of the Associated Press saw Senor Moret at the colonial office Sunday evening. He confirmed the announcement made of the pope's mediation between Spain and the Cubans, and added that the suggestion did not come from the United States government, but from the pope direct. He added

"I cannot say anything more on the subject as the matter is unsettled pending an answer from the United States."

Senor Moret's manner as well as that of General Woodford, conveyed the impression that they both believed that peace, for which they have so earnestly labored, will result from the present negotiations.

READY TO LEAVE.

General Lee Instructed to Turn American Consulate Over to British Consul.

NEW YORK, April 4.—A special to the Herald from Washington says:

Consul General Lee has been instructed to turn the American consulate over to British Consul Gollin and has already made the necessary arrangements with Gollin to do so.

This is a mere precaution in case General Lee has to leave suddenly. He is simply setting his house in order.

General Lee had a long conference with Consul Gillin, who courteously agreed to do everything in his power in case General Lee receives orders to leave, or is forced to seek refuge on the Fern with the other Americans by a sudden uprising of the Havana populace.

Consul Gollin will probably have his hands full if Havana grows violent as English residents will be regarded as Americans if the excitement is great. Consul Gollin however, believes active hostilities between Spain and the United States will be averted.

General Lee apparently has not abandoned all hope of postponement of immediate hostilities and his conference with Consul General Gollin, it is understood here, was due not to his intention of leaving, but merely to insure the fullest protection of the consulate and American residents should he be suddenly forced to abdicate.

General Lee, it is known on all hands, will stick to his post until it is folly to remain longer

THOUSANDS MUST DIE.

Rev. Eugene May Reports the Conditions in Cuba Appalling.

WASHINGTON, April 4. — Rev. Eugene May, who has been traveling in Cuba, returned to his home here yesterday. His report of the conditions in the island differs in no essential detail from that of Senators Proctor, Thurston, Gallinger and others who have recently spoken and written on the subject. Dr May says in addition: "The recent revocation of the reconcentrators order is a farce, as the people to whom it applies are too ill to work and have nothing with which to start had they the strength Blanks have been issued to the starving wretches which are to be filled out with requisitions for whatever they need and sent to Havana The mockery of it is in line with the farce of sending in the blanks. Nothing more is ever heard of them

"The relief work is going forward rapidly in 230 towns, but there are between 50,000 and 100,000 reconcentrados who must die, however generous the relief, for they are already beyond help."

GEAKE CHOSEN.

Republicans Nominate the Stone Contractor for Mayor.

W. T. Jefferies Unanimously Nominated for Clerk.

Ex-Mayor Oakley Was Chairman of the Convention.

Julius Tonne, Frank Higgins and John Ferguson Were Selected as Candidates for Waterworks Trustees.

The republican city convention met in the city hall this afternoon with a fair attendance of delegates. Owing to the late arrival of many delegates the convention was not called to order until about 2:25 by W E Clapham, chairman of the county and city committees, who read the call for the convention.

Joe Lombard nominated Col. C. B. Oakley for permanent chairman and he was unanimously chosen. The ex-mayor was applauded and responded with a neat speech, in which he practically prophesied success for the ticket.

C L. Archer nominated Chas. Lane, of the Gazette, for secretary, with reporters of other republican papers as assistants. Motion carried.

On motion of Dr. L. A. Worch, Will Beck and C. H. Newton were chosen tellers.

Nominations for mayor were called for and J. B. Harper placed before the convention the name of William Geake. All the wards seconded the nomination of Mr. Geake, and on motion of Major Wilson he was made the unanimous choice of the convention. He was called on for a speech and said victory was assured if all republicans did their duty.

Enoch G. Cox placed the name of W. T. Jefferies before the convention for clerk and, on motion of John T. Leach, he was nominated by acclamation. Mr. Jefferies said that every move he made would be in the interest of the republican party.

H. A. Rogers nominated Capt. R. R. H. Harrison for waterworks trustee. Dr. C. B. Stemen nominated Frank Higgins, and George Soliday nominated Juluis Tonne. W. E. Mossman nominated John Ferguson.

There being four nominations a ballot was ordered. The slate had been practically agreed upon and Messrs. Tonne, Ferguson and Higgins won by an overwhelming vote, Mr. Harrison receiving only forty votes.

A LARGE CLASS.

Thirty-two Children Confirmed at St John's Reformed Church.

The following children were yesterday confirmed in the St. John's Reformed church:

Emma Balzer, Clara Ehrmann, Josephine Grotholtmann, Emilie Hockemeier, Gertrude Heller, Emma Junghoens, Bertha Lindemann, Martha Ludwig, Carrie Moeller, Jabob Koerber, Carl Kruse, Heinrich Peters, Ernst Peters, Wilhelm Schone, George Welker Lena Pester, Emma Rogge, Sophia Schaefer, Jeanette Schmidt, Anna Siebold, Pearl Seabold, Clara Tiggeson Emma Welker, Martin Altekruse, Arthur Altekruse, Paul Baumann Frederick Engelmann, Heinrich Dierstein, Carl Guyer, Edgar Jakob, Wilhelm Jautz, Edward Junghaus.

SUITS DISMISSED.

Mrs. Fahnestock No. 1 Abandons Her Case Against No. 2.

The suit of Fannie Fahnestock against her former husband, James Fahnestock, for $5,000 alimony awarded her by a Toledo court, was dismissed from the superior court here today. The suit of the same plaintiff against the present wife of James Fahnestock, for $5,000 damage, for alleged alienation of the affections of Mr. Fohnestock, was dismissed.

Today was the beginning of the April term of the superior court. A number of minor suits were dismissed.

UP TO NOW.

The Shoes That Are Up-to-Date Are Thing's Shoes.

Big Easter Values All This Week

Ladies' fine vici kid shoes, $2.50 kind, all this week at $.

Ladies' $3.50 hand sewed shoes in black and tan, models of 1898, this week $2.69.

Ladies' $3.00 fine vici kid shoes, heavy silk vesting upper; the most up to date shoe in the city, $2.49.

20 styles in gents' $4.00 summer shoes, the celebrated Lewis A. Crossett make; best on earth, $2.99.

Men's fine dress shoes in tan and black, $1.99.

Boys' fine dress shoes, 99c.

Children's chocolate lace shoes cheap at 75c; sizes run 8 to 11, all this week at 50c.

Ladies' fine tan shoes, $1.49.

Ladies' tan and black lace shoes big snap at $1.00.

Big sale of Easter shoes all the week at the Big Store.

Music all day.

Store open evenings until o'clock.

S. B. THING & Co.,

No. 32 Calhoun St.

Large Red Boot.

C. J. WELKER.

SPECIAL EASTER SALE.

RIBBON NECKWEAR & SASHES

For Easter we are showing a great many pretty new ideas in Ribbon Neckwear at 39c, 50c and 75c.

$2.50 Ribbon Sashes in all colors and black Easter sale price $1 75

EASTER RIBBONS

Fancy Silk Ribbons, newest effects in stripes, checks, plaids and moires. 4 to 5 inches wide at 25c a yard worth 40c

GLOVES FOR EASTER

Ladies' Kid Gloves, very soft and flexible, perfect fitting, in 2 clasp with fancy embroidered backs, in all the spring colorings, worth $1 00, at 75c a pair

EASTER STOCKINGS.

25 doz Ladies Hose, black boot, colored tops, at 25c a pair

25 doz Ladies' fine black hose, full regular made, worth 22c at 15c a pair Children's Stockings at special prices

Just received a new line of Laces, Embroideries, Handkerchiefs, Veilings, Corsets, etc, which we place on sale at special prices.

C. J. WELKER. 118 Calhoun St. Schmitz Block.

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BY E. A. K HACKETT.

MONDAY, APRIL 4, 1898.

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TONIGHT.

Democratic Primaries—From 3 o'clock until 7:30.

U. V. L.—Important meeting.

Revival Services—West Creighton Church of Christ. Rev. J J. Higgs, pastor.

Religious Services—Christ's Lutheran church, corner Jefferson and Webster streets.

Carpenters' Union—Regular meeting at hall, 54 East Main street.

Lathers—Regular meeting.

Baptist Guards—Regular meeting.

Cigarmakers' Union — Regular meeting union No. 37

Bricklayers' Union — Regular meeting.

Barbers' Union—Regular meeting.

Laundry Workers—Regular meeting.

Ladies G. A. R.—G. W. Stirk circle, No. 15.

True Blue Hall—Twelve o'clock social hop.

Lodges—Fort Wayne lodge, No. 14, I. O. O. F; Phoenix, K. of P.; Ben Hur court, No. 15; Modern Woodmen No. 4761.

THE only way out for Spain is to back out.

THE Spanish out on the bleachers may have their noisy demonstration before the game is called, if they like. We in the grand stand will have ours after the ninth inning

SPAIN finds that diplomacy, however, isn't worth a great deal when the other fellow is bound to have satisfaction or a fight.

WITH the announcement that the Spanish torpedo flotilla is not at Porto Rico, but is separated from that island by two thousand miles of salt blue sea, the belligerent feeling in Washington becomes noticeably more tempernte

IN war intelligence counts for more than the numerical strength of forces or the calibre of guns. In facing the soldiers of the United States Spain will meet armies that are superior to her own in every quality that makes one man better than another.

THE Massachusetts house of representatives has passed a bill abolishing hanging and substituting electrocution in capital cases Electrocution is scientific, but it isn't literary. Hemlock would be a more approved form of capital punishment in the Bay state.

IN KANSAS the republican candidate for mayor was charged by an opposition orator with having recently been drunk. Mayor Jones, the offended party, at once hunted up the orator, lauded on the point of his jaw in scientific fashion and the man went down and was counted out. It must be that more than one kind of reform wave is sweeping Kansas City.

THE progress of the Spanish armada to the western hemisphere recalls the historical incident that three centuries and ten years ago Spain sent an "invincible armada" into the British channel with malicious intent to put the English navy out of business in the first round. It was no slouch of an armada. It was gay with tinsel and banners and made a brave show as it sailed in confused procession to the north. At the mouth of the channel it encountered fearful storms and what the elements spared of the armada soon fell afoul of the English navy under brave Sir John Hawkins, a sturdy British tar who knew a think or two about sea fighting himself. What he did to the "invincible armada" was a plenty. The Spanish fleet was destroyed and the utter disaster to that enterprise marked the beginning of the decline of Spain's naval supremacy When the Spanish armada, now at the Cape Verde Islands, gets a few hundred miles nearer the American shore it will be eminently proper that history repeat itself.

Mrs Thurston's Presentiment.

The ladies of the congressional circle at the Cairo apartment house, where the Thurstons lived, states a Washington letter, says that Mrs. Thurston had a remarkable presentiment that she would not return alive from Cuba, but nevertheless was determined to go and would not allow her husband to leave without her. A day or two before they left a number of ladies were sitting in Mrs. Thurston's room discussing plans and probabilities, when she informed them with the greatest seriousness that she did not expect to return, and desired to leave with them messages and commissions for friends whom she would not be able to see before her departure.

She even made a memorandum to assist the memory of one of the party, and the same afternoon collected all her jewelry and asked one of the ladies to go with her as a witness while she placed it in the safe in the office of the hotel. The package was addressed to her daughter with a loving message. While the yacht was tumbling and creaking in the midst of the terrible storm that it met off Cape Hatteras, Mrs. Thurston reminded Mrs. Money and Mrs. Gallinger of this presentiment, and ventured the doleful prediction that they would not reach land alive. When the yacht finally found shelter at Charleston and the demoralized guests disembarked, they laughed over her despondency. But she was not shaken in her opinion that she was taking her last journey and would never see Washington again.

War Powers of the President.

By the constitution congress alone has power to declare war. The constitution confers on the president the whole executive power. He is bound to take care that the laws are faithfully executed. He is commander-in-chief of the army and navy of the United States and of the militia of the several states when called into actual service of the United States.

The president has no power to initiate or declare war either against a foreign nation or a domestic state. He is authorized to call out the militia and use the military and naval forces of the United States in cases of invasion by foreign nations, and to suppress insurrection against the government of a state or states.

If a war be made by invasion of a foreign nation, the president is not only authorized but bound to resist force by force. He does not initiate the war, but is bound to accept the challenge without waiting for any special legislative authority. The battles of Palo Alto and Resaca de la Palma, in the Mexican war, had been fought before congress passed an act which recognized "a state of war as existing by the act of the republic of Mexico." The act of congress not only provided for the future prosecution of the war, but was itself a vindication and ratification of the act of the president in accepting the challenge without a previous formal declaration of war by congress.

It has been judicially declared that the civil war commenced April 19, 1861, when the ports of the confederate states were blockaded by the naval power under a proclamation of the president bearing that date. Still, we know that hostilities commenced before that date, for on April 12, 1861, by the special order of the secretary of war of the confederate states, fire was opened on Fort Sumter April 15 President Lincoln issued a proclamation calling forth the militia of the several states to the number of 75,000, and declaring certain states in rebellion. Still, congress did not "declare war" until July 13, 1861.

Thus it will be seen that while the president has no power to initiate or declare war, he is authorized to resist force by force, and to accept the challenge of any power to battle without waiting for congress to act.

SPRING.

THE SEASON'S GREETING.

IT is with a feeling of satisfaction and confidence that we issue this, our Spring Message, because after months of labor in buying, we have secured the choicest stock of clothing and haberdashery we have ever been able to show our patrons—the styles were never more attractive and the workmanship was never better.

That we have been successful in efforts to please, we believe will be your verdict when you see our new spring goods and learn our prices.

Our clothing is such clothing as you would take pleasure in wearing—it is satisfactory clothing in every respect. We have no desire to exchange our clothing for your money until you are satisfied, for until you are, we are not.

We know how to hold old customers and win new ones; right goods, right prices and right treatment does the work.

Our new Spring goods are arranged for your inspection and will be pleased to receive a call from you, whether you wish to buy or not. We want you to feel at home in our store. Whatever you may need, that we, as men's outfitters, may furnish, you shall and must be right in every particular.

"BETTER CLOTHES FOR .... BETTER TIMES,

But keep down the price"—that's our platform for 1898. It has taken careful selection and close buying to do what we are doing this season. The finest suits, top coats and furnishing goods in America, the best styles from the leading makers and values that surpass our best efforts of other years. Hart, Schaffner & Marx Guaranteed Clothing is sold here for the price of ordinary goods.

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GUARANTEED CLOTHING.

LEHMAN'S,

34 and 36 Calhoun St.

THE GRIM REAPER.

Mrs. William Allgier Passed Away Shortly After Midnight.

Succumbed to the Ravages of Old Age—Death of Mrs. Joanna Carter—Funerals.

At 1 o'clock this morning occurred the death of Mrs. William Allgier, aged seventy-two years, at the home of her daughter, Mrs Frances Zahn, 221 East Jefferson street. Death resulted from old age. Mrs. Allgier was born in Germany, but for about half a century has made her home in Adams township. About two weeks ago she began to feel badly and decided to visit in Fort Wayne. She came here and never again returned to her country home. Only three weeks ago Mrs Barbara Seiler, a life long friend and neighbor of Mrs. Allgier, came to the city and she, too, died without again seeing her old home. Mrs. Allgier was the mother of six grown children, as follows: William, Anthony, Mrs. Frances Zahn, John, Edward and Andrew. She was one of the oldest members of St. Mary's Catholic church The funeral will be held at 9 a. m. Wednesday from St. Marys' Catholic church.

CARTER.

Saturday afternoon, at No. 187 Jackson street, occurred the death of Mrs Joanna C Carter, of consumption She was aged forty-three years, two months and twenty days. A husband and five children survive her. The funeral will occur Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock from the house and half an hour later from the Cathedral

LEE.

Saturday night, at 11 o'clock occurred the death of Samuel Lee, sr., at the home of his son, Samuel Lee, jr., 170 Huffman street Mr. Lee was aged seventy-five years five months and eighteen days, and had resided in Allen county since 1873. He was born in Brook county, Va., and when a young man moved to Ohio, where, in 1861, he volunteered for three years in the service of his country, joining company D, Seventy-Eighth regiment, Ohio Volunteer infantry. On August 30, 1862, he was discharged from the service on a surgeon's certificate of disability. Mr. Lee leaves seven children, as follows: Edward L. Lee and Mrs. Lizzie Black, of Aboite township; Mrs. Sadie Heckler, Perrysburg, Ohio; J. M Lee, Arcola; Samuel Lee, jr., Fort Wayne; Arnold Lee, Fort Wayne, and Mrs. Edith Weichselfelder. The funeral will occur Tuesday at 9:30 from No. 170 Huffman street and at 10 o'clock from the Northside Mission, Rev. Ballinger officiating. Interment will be made at Bullard's cemetery in Aboite township.

GERKE.

Maria Gerke, wife of Louis Gerke, a wealth farmer who lives in Wayne township south of the city, died Sunday morning, aged seventy-six years, eleven months and twenty-three days. She leaves besides her husband, who is quite ill, five grown children, three daughters, two married, and two sons. The funeral will occur Wednesday at 12:30 p. m. from the residence and later services will be held at the Lutheran church on the Piqua road, Rev. F. Vanke officiating.

KRAFT.

Minnie Kraft, aged twenty-three years, daughter of Frederick Kraft, died at 10:30 Sunday morning at the home of her father, 317 Lafayette street, of consumption. She had been ill for a long time and for two weeks her death was hourly expected. The funeral will occur Wednesday at 10 a m. and at 10:30 from Zion's Lutheran church.

DETURK.

Amanda, the two-month-old child of Mr. and Mrs. David DeTurk, died of bronchitis at 10:50 Sunday morning at the home of the parents, No. 75 Richardson street. The funeral occurred this afternoon.

THE WEEK'S DEATHS.

The following is a list of the deaths reported by the undertakers of the city for the week ending April 2:

Sister Mary Petra, 20 years old, consumption.

Elizabeth Shelvey, 45 years old, cancer.

Isadore Miller, 2 months old, exhaustion.

A. J. Chandler, 70 years old, paralysis.

Edna C Wass, 8 years old, brain fever

Ernest T. Moss, 18 months old, lung fever.

Ilda Klein, 5 months old, erysipelas.

Child of John Krautner, stillborn

David Kraus, 87 years old, old age

Frederick Schneider, 72 years old, erysipelas.

Conrad Seidel, 80 years old, tuberculosis.

Child of Henry Furney, stillborn

Child of John Fisher, 1 day old, exhaustion.

Frieda Greiner, 15 months old, lung fever

Edwin Wiebke, 11 months old, lung fever

Worth A. Kley, 7 years old, epilepsy

Andrew McClure, 56 years old, dropsy.

Mary McClure, 57 years old, heart failure

BEN HUR ENTERTAINMENT.

Program to be Rendered at A. O. U. W. Hall This Evening.

The following program will be rendered at an entertainment to be given by Ben Hur court No 15 at A O U W. hall, on Court street, this evening:

Address	A. S Coverdale
Music	Miss Anna Greer
Recitation	Mrs Nellie Carter
Music	Ben Hur quartet
Recitation	Miss Clara Bell
Vocal selection	Hazel Cooke
Recitation	Irma Meisker
Music	Ben Hur quartet
Recitation	Velma Horton
Vocal selection	H S Vreeland
Selection	Marie Sandlbenz
Vocal solo	Lottie Whitney
Recitation	Mr Heaton
Music	Mr Germain
Closing remarks	Chief Brinkley

This is "Kid" Cramer.

Toledo Bee "Bert Wood and Jack Cramer, who met in a four round bout at the Champion Athletic club on Wednesday evening are matched to fight fifteen rounds for $100 a side. The decision of a draw given Wednesday night was purely a formal one and did not give satisfaction to either man. Hence, this match. The date and location of the match have not yet been arranged."

TO BLOW UP SHIPS.

Spaniards Sow Havana Harbor With Mines.

Forty More Floating Engines of Destruction Placed by Order of the Madrid Government.

They Command the Narrowest Part of the Channel—Uncle Sam's War Preparations go on.

NEW YORK, April 4.—A dispatch to the World from Havana says

Forty floating submarine mines wore secretly planted in Havana harbor last Wednesday night by the Spanish government

This information comes from official sources and is absolutely correct. The mines were laid in the narrowest part of the channel between Morro and Punta, in two lines of twenty mines each.

They are spherical and float about twenty-four feet under the surface. Each is attached by an anchor chain to a heavy cable anchored on the bottom.

The detonating wires run up the chains. There is sufficient force there to paralyze the biggest ships afloat. But if any entering fleet should use counter mines or bow torpedos on approaching the narrowest part of the entrance to the harbor the mines could be exploded.

HARD TO GET.

United States Encounters Difficulty Buying Warships Abroad.

NEW YORK, April 4.—A dispatch to the Herald from Washington says:

"Orders have been cabled to Lieut. J. J. Knapp, commanding the torpedo boat Somers, purchased from Germany, to proceed to England and take command of the cruiser Diogenes, purchased from the Thames Iron works. The Diogenes is a cruiser of 1800 tons displacement, and will be used as a member of the second line of defense, for which purpose this government is purchasing a large number of yachts, and is converting them into torpedo boats.

The Diogenes was originally built in 1882 for the Portugese government, but the Lisbon authorities failing to take her she remained at the Thames Iron works and was rebuilt during the last year.

She has a speed of sixteen knots, some protection, and has an excellent battery for her size.

Lieutenant Knapp, it is expected, will arrive in England on the Somers tomorrow or Tuesday and will immediately put to sea with the Diogenes. He will have command of both vessels on their voyage across the Atlantic.

He will be directed to proceed with all possible dispatch to New York, so that the two ships will be out of the reach of Spanish cruisers in case war should be declared this week.

The authorities admit that they are hunting for more vessels, but they seem to fear that their agent abroad will not be successful in getting any large vessels.

There is a reason to believe that they hope to secure some torpedo boats during the present week. The Chinese torpedo boats under construction at Elbing and Stettin, Germany, have been inspected by Lieut. A. H. Niblack, the naval attache of this government in Berlin, but he has reported that they are not ready for sea.

Lieutenant Sims and Commander Brownson are carefully inspecting the torpedo boats under construction in France and Italy and the department has reason to believe that their search may result successfully. No authority has been given to Commander Brownson to buy the steam yacht, which is under construction in Italy for the sultan of Morocco.

MAMMOTH EVAPORATOR.

Sent to Key West to Furnish Fresh Water for Warships.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, April 4.—A mammoth evaporator was shipped from this city today to Key West with orders from the government that it be rushed forward with all possible haste.

The evaporator will be located permanently at Key West for the purpose of supplying fresh water to war vessels.

It is guaranteed to distill 50,000 gallons of pure drinking water per day.

FRANCE IS NEUTRAL.

Former Ambassador Eustis Discusses the Situation.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—Hon J B Eustis, former United States embassador to France, was asked his opinion with reference to M. Hanotaux's declaration in the French chamber of deputies touching the Spanish Cuban question.

"I have no doubt," said Mr. Eustis, "that the declaration correctly represents the opinion of Mr. Hanotaux. Since this Spanish-Cuban question has become serious, the attitude of the French government has become one of extreme delicacy. Having frequently discussed the question with M. Hanotaux, I have always found his attitude as regards the Spanish and American governments was exceedingly proper.

"The French aristocracy and the Catholic party in France naturally strongly sympathize with the Spanish government as against the United States, but they have no voice in the French government today, and there is no doubt that the French government would be absolutely neutral in case of war between Spain and the United States.

"Mr. Hanotaux does not sympathize with either of these parties and they have not the slightest influence with him He is a man of remarkable intelligence, an admirably equipped diplomat, always cool, knowing when to be firm or conciliatory, and the sincere admirer of our people and our institutions.

"He is equally friendly to the Spanish government and our government.

"The fact is that our government intends not to take any decisive action which would lead to hostilities, can discard any apprehension that any European power would take any active part against our government.

"Alliances in European politics have become so fashionable that they become a most important factor in settling any European question, but with us the case is different.

"No European power could have any possible interest in intermeddling in a question of peace or war between Spain and the United States."

"What do you think of the present crisis?" Mr. Eustis was asked.

"I think that we are unavoidably drifting into a war. From the moment that Mr. Cleveland and subsequently Mr. McKinley asserted the right of our government to intervene to stop the war in Cuba, I have never been able to discover any pacific solution of this question

"I would deprecate a war with Spain. But it is evident that the present situation is becoming unendurable, and that the American people are determined that this running sore in our international politics shall be cured."

ALLOWAY IS HERE.

The First Base Ball Player to Arrive.

He is in First-Class Condition and Will be a Winner—Other Players Expected—Notes.

Alloway, alias "Klondike," was the first Fort Wayne base ball player to reach in the city, having arrived early Sunday morning over the Grand Rapids and Indiana railway. Alloway lives on the other side of the big flood and started early so as to be certain and get here on time. At Cincinnati he was compelled to ride in a 'bus from one end of the city to the other, the railways being unable to haul passengers. He is in the best of shape and having fired an engine during the entire winter is as hard as muscle can possibly be. "Klondike" says he will pitch better ball than ever this season and if he does he will be in front again the same as last year.

Manager O'Meara has received word from Peck Sharp, who wants money to come in style, but the other players having failed to write, are possibly en route here.

CAMPBELL HERE, TOO.

At noon today Tom Campbell, who caught such great ball for the Fort Wayne base ball club, arrived in the city. Tom is in fine shape and weighs twenty or twenty-five pounds less than he did when he left Fort Wayne.

NOTES.

Joe Werrick has been appointed captain of the Mansfields.

Chic Cargo has signed with the Oswego team of the New York state league.

Willis, one of the Dayton pitchers, has been given his release by Manager Armor.

John Ganzel did not pan out with Pittsburg. There are two or three first basemen in the Inter-State who can play all around him.

Woodlock has notified Manager Whistler that he will not play ball this season and Springfield is hunting for another shortstop.

Manager Torreyson is corresponding with a National league shortstop. If he gets him Donahue is slated for release or for a move to a corner of the infield.

The Shamrocks will play the Fort Waynes April 10. Should it rain, tickets purchased for the game will be honored at any time thereafter that the Shamrocks can play.

Ed. Zinram, the Youngtown catcher, who did great work last season, attached his name to a Youngstown contract Saturday and the "fans" over there are happy.

The East Wayne Streets have organized with the following players: Pitchers, Charles Ford and Sam Walters; first base, Ed. Ruben; second base, France Williams; short stop, Red Springer; third base, Henry McCroessen; center field, John Bostick; left field, Henry Franke; right geld, Lou Black; captain, Henry McCroessen; manager, Henry Franke.

Manager Geer, of Youngstown, has the following contracts: Zinram and John Smith, catchers; Peter McBride, John K. Spears, William Martin, Irving Brodie and Joe Garvey, pitchers; Van Patterson, Arthur Ross, Hodge Berry, Ardian Cross, George Ross, infielders; James Cooper, James M. Grove, Ed. Fortney, E. C. Landgraf, outfielders. It is known that Captain Musser, Harry Jordan and Stein will also sign contracts. Work will be commenced in the field by the team on April 11.

PRIEST IS THREATENED.

Warned of Death Unless He Relinquishes His Pastorate.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., April 4.—Rev. Father Joseph Pribyl, pastor of St. John's Roman Catholic church, this city, received warning today that if he persisted in holding his pastorate he would be killed on Good Friday. The warning came through the mail and was written in scarlet ink.

The communication bears the signature of three men who have been prominent in the disturbances which have nearly wrecked the church. Father Pribyl was formerly the parish priest of the murdered miners at Hazleton, Pa., and was sent here for the especial purpose of subduing the discordant element.

The opposition to him is due to race prejudices and comes principally from the Slavs, who object to him because he is a Bohemian.

LOCAL LINES.

Charles L and Wm. H. Carter have gone to Van Wert, Ohio, to lay a new tile floor in the court house at that place.

Miss Alice Federspiel, of New Haven, spent Sunday in the city the guest of Miss Anna Ehinger, of No. 30 Clinton street.

Drs. Drayer and Meyers have no tuberculin and will be compelled to postpone test of more dairies until a new supply is received from Professor Bitting.

The Hibernian Rifles will drill tonight. A business meeting will be held after the drill, when new applications for membership will be acted upon.

Chairman Eggemann, of the board of works, was at Swinney park this afternoon arranging for the building of a bicycle track. A new entrance to the park will be placed at Jefferson street

The action of big Cy Swaim in refusing to sign a Washington contract on account of salary offered will probably land him as a farmed hand in the Atlantic league. President Wagner has so decided

Major J. E. Miller, who is here to muster in the militia companies, was the guest of honor at a dinner party given by Mrs. F. G. Olds, of 45 John street, yesterday. Major Miller will go to Huntington tomorrow.

John J Higgs, pastor of the West Creighton avenue Church of Christ, will conduct a series of gospel meetings at the church every night this week. M. K. Griffith will sing a solo each evening. These meetings will be very interesting. The subject this evening will be "Apostolic Doctrine." Service to commence at 7:30 sharp. Come to these meetings.

There will not be a meeting of the Morning Musical this week, but on Monday afternoon, April 11, a piano recital will be given in the Fort Wayne club to the members of the society. Each member will be entitled to invite one resident of the city as her guest and out of town guests are always admitted on invitation by some member of the society. The pianist for the occasion will be Leopold Godowsky.

THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, April 4.—Wheat—May, $1.05¼; July, 85¼@85⅝¢; Sept., 77⅝¢; Dec., 77⅛¢.

Corn—April, 29⅛¢; May, 29⅝¢; July, 30⅞@31¢; Sept., 32¢.

Oats—May, 25¼¢; April, 25⅛¢; July, 23⅝.

Pork—April, $9.80; May, $9.87; July, $9.97.

Lard—April, $5.30; May, $5.32; July, $5.37@5.40; Sept., $5.45.

Ribs—April and May, $5.25; July, $5.35.

Barley—Cash, No. 3, 36@42¢.

Rye—Cash, 50½¢; May, 50½@50¾.

Flax—Cash, $1.21; N. W., $1.22½; May, $1.23; Sept., $1.12.

Timothy—April, $2.80.

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On the theory that "seeing is believing" John A. Smith of Milwaukee, wants everyone to first try his remedy for the cure of rheumatism, at his expense. To that end, he proposes to distribute 15,000 free sample packages to all persons sending him their name and address. Mr. Smith had for years suffered all the agony and torture of rheumatism, tried all the remedies known, and yet utterly failed to find relief.

At times he was so helpless that he had to take morphine and after considerable doctoring with leading physicians, who were unable to help him, he gave up in despair. He began studying into the causes of rheumatism and after much experimenting and repeated failure, he finally found a remedy which cured him in a few days. The result was so beneficial to his entire system and was such a glorious escape from the clutches of rheumatism that he called his new found remedy Gloria Tonic. Those of his friends, relatives and neighbors who were subject to rheumatism were next cured and Mr. Smith concluded he would offer his remedy to the world. But he found the task a difficult one. Nearly everybody had tried a hundred or more remedies, just as he did, and they couldn't be made to believe there was such a thing as a cure for rheumatism. But an old gentleman in Seguin, Tex., Mr. Bertram, wrote him saying if Mr. Smith would send him a sample he would try it, but as he had suffered forty-one years and wasted a fortune on advertised remedies he wouldn't buy anything more until he knew it was worth something. The sample was sent and the results were astonishing. He was completely cured. This gave Mr. Smith a new idea and ever since that time he has been sending free sample packages of Gloria Tonic to all who may apply. It cured H. Bucholz, 70 years old, of Norborne, Mo., after suffering 25 years. In Regina, N. W. Ter., Anton Bengert was laid up nine years. A sample of Gloria Tonic was the first relief he ever got and three boxes entirely cured him. Thomas Callahan of Harvard, Ills., suffered continously four years and was cured by Mr. Smith's remarkable remedy. At Indian Ford, Wis., Friederike Arnold aged 66 years suffered 12 years. Nothing ever relieved her until she tried Gloria Tonic. She was cured completely. At Pittsburg, Ind., a druggist was cured after 33 years suffering. John Carston of Belton, Tex., had planned to give his wife a trip to Germany, but she was taken with an attack of rheumatism and the trip abandoned. But she tried a sample of Gloria Tonic, got some more, was cured and went to Europe rejoicing. She is a firm believer in Gloria Tonic. Mrs. Persohn of Amsterdam, N. Y., believes Providence directed her to Mr. Smith's remedy. She was nearly insane from the intense suffering from rheumatic pains and was entirely cured. Thousands of other instances could be related where this magical remedy has cured rheumatism. In case your druggist does not have it, it's well worth anybody's time to send their name and address to Mr. Smith and he will send a trial package of Gloria Tonic absolutely free of charge. If you have a friend, or acquaintance, a neighbor or relative suffering from rheumatism send for a trial package and give it a test. It is a remarkable remedy and there is no question but what it will cure any case of rheumatism no matter how severe or how long standing. Send your name and address to John A. Smith, 243 Summerfield Church Building, Milwaukee, Wis.

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dip, is celebrating the advent of a son at his home.

Robert John, Nickel Plate engineer, is sick and off duty.

John Edelman, of the Pittsburg car shop, is sick and off duty.

Engineer Charles Merriett, of the Nickel Plate, is off duty on account of sickness.

John Rupp, a blacksmith in the Pittsburg shops, is off duty on account of sickness.

Joseph Courdery, of the Anthony Wayne works, is off duty on account of sickness

Conrad Aumann is again at work in the Pittsburg planing mills after a two weeks' sickness.

Nickel Plate Firemen Charles Houser and Harry Blackburn are taking a brief vacation.

Pittsburg engine 205 was turned out of the shops today and No. 140 was taken in for repairs.

Manager Briggs, of the Traders' Dispatch, will remove his headquarters from Buffalo to Chicago May 1.

Jacob Hilgeman, who had been at Baltimore in the interest of the Electric corporation, returned home last night.

J. M. Kress, who had a carbuncle on his right hand, reported for duty at the electric works this morning, after an absence of a week.

C. C. Chase has become auditor of the Chicago Junction railway. He was formerly agent of the Lake Erie and Western at Lafayette.

Walter Redman, a member of the Pennsylvania's police, was taken sick at Warsaw yesterday and had to return home on No. 8 last evening.

Mrs. George Waggemann, wife of the machinist at the Bass works, and her children have gone to Indianapolis to spend a month with relatives.

Daniel Bevelheimer has resumed his duties as watchman at the Broadway crossing of the Pittsburg, after a week's lay off to attend to some private business.

During the month of March the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers disbursed $58,500 to the heirs of deceased members and to those who were crippled.

Master Mechanic B. Fitzpatrick, who has been troubled with a bad cold for the past week, a portion of the time being confined to his house, is attending to business at his office again.

Engineer C. C. Weaver, who is said to be the longest in service of any of the engineers on the Pennsylvania railroad, is supposed to be fatally ill at his home in Harrisburg, Pa.

The steam hammer operated by James Trythall and M. H. Morrison, in the Pittsburg shops, is idle on account of the furnace being broken down and the men will also be idle a day or two.

B. Lobenthal, a fireman on the Wabash road, is in the Peru hospital, suffering from injuries received by being struck by a switch post while he was standing upon the steps of his engine.

Louis Lussenhop, night baggage master at the Wabash depot, is having improvements put upon his house on DeWald street, which when completed will add much to the beauty of the premises.

The Wabash has closed a contract by which it is to haul 1200 cars of meat monthly to eastern points for one of the Kansas City dressed meat houses. It is to be supplied at the rate of forty car loads per day.

Joseph Hagenrather, of the Rhinesmith and Simonson factory, has returned to work after an absence of several days on account of an addition to his family. His wife presented him with a son last Friday.

The Pennsylvania lines have been given the contract to carry the members of the naval reserve to New York from St. Paul, Duluth, Milwaukee and Chicago, moving them at different times on its regular trains.

There is sorrow in the hearts of the employes about the Wabash depot and freight house, due to the sad fate which overtook the office cat. Pussy was run over and killed Saturday night by a Pittsburg freight train.

Chief Engineer Kittredge, of the Big Four, in eighteen hours after a span of the bridge over the Little Miami river, 190 feet long, was swept out by the recent flood, had another structure up and trains moving over it.

All trains from the east on the Nickel Plate Saturday night and Sunday bore evidence of the snow storm which raged in eastern Ohio and parts of Pennsylvania that night. At Cleveland there was a fall of two or three inches.

A belief prevails that with the coming of the 1st of May the fast train service between Chicago and Denver, instituted a short time ago, will end, the differential ordered as a result of Chairman Caldwell's ruling making it unprofitable to run these trains.

About the middle of this week General Manager Loree, of the Pennsylvania lines west of Pittsburg, and John F. Miller, general superintendent of the Southwestern system, will start on an inspection of the lines which suffered from the late high water.

PROFESSIONAL AND OTHERWISE.

Al F. Penbrink, an electrician at the [illegible] power station of the [illegible] is visiting friends in this city.

A. C. F. Wichman, who has been on an extend tour of the western states in the interest of the Anthony Wayne Manufacturing company, returned home last evening. He reports business good and brought home many orders for washing machines.

John and Tine Kretsinger, former foreman of the planing mills and the latter operator of an axle lathe, resumed their respective duties in the Pittsburg shops this morning. Tine had been afflicted with pleurisy and had been off duty a week.

W. F. Beardsley, master mechanic of the Allegheny shops of the Pennsylvania lines, has had his jurisdiction extended to cover the Erie and Ashtabula division. Theodore N. Kucher, of this city, who was appointed Mr. Beardsley's assistant, has not yet assumed the duties of his office, but will do so this week.

Engine 700, on the Big Four, on Thursday broke all records by hauling 1,612 tons of freight from Kankakee to Indianapolis at an average speed of twenty-two miles an hour. A locomotive on the Pittsburg hauled over 2,000 tons from this city to Chicago last fall, during the tests than being made by the company.

A Pennsylvania and a Lake Shore train had a race between Englewood and Whiting, twelve miles, last Friday. During the entire distance the trains were side by side, despite the efforts of both engineers to beat. The passengers enjoyed the race greatly and waved hats and handkerchiefs at each other. The Pennsylvania train was much the heaviest.

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers will hold their biennial convention in St. Louis May 11, and the meeting will be one of the most important ever held by the order. The question of federation with the other railway orders will then be definitely settled. The order is nearly equally divided upon this question and the struggle will be bitter to the end.

Freight wrecks had become so numerous on certain parts of the Chicago and Eastern Illinois that orders have been given that freight trains on such parts of the line run on a much slower schedule. In one place where the run was made in eighteen minutes the time is lengthened to thirty minutes, and at other points a slowing down of freight trains has been ordered.

The Santa Fe has inaugurated a cut freight rate between Kansas City and Chicago, the reduction being ten and one-half cents per hundred pounds. This cut is understood to be for the purpose of "getting even" with the Wabash, which recently made a contract with a Kansas City house which had hitherto shipped over the Santa Fe. The Chicago, Burlington and Quincy may be drawn into the trouble before a settlement is effected.

Hoodlums at Pierceton, Ind., are causing the Pennsylvania company considerable trouble at present. Last night the boys stoned the limited, No. 2, breaking six windows in a Pullman sleeping car. The police department will make an effort to bring the rascals to justice.

E. T. Kensill, a locomotive engineer employed by the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific road, with headquarters at Chickasha, I. T., is circulating among old friends in the city and will remain here two weeks. He is taking a months' vacation, a portion of which he has spent in Pennsylvania. Mr. Kensill lived here twenty years ago and was a conductor on the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago road for a long time.

DANNER RESIGNS.

Well Known Passenger Conductor Retires.

The Wabash Company the Victim of Burglars, Who Rob a Safe at Defiance.

Robert M. Danner, one of the best known conductors in the passenger service on the Grand Rapids and Indiana road, tendered his resignation last Saturday and the same has been accepted. No cause for the resignation has been assigned, but it is understood that Mr. Danner contemplates engaging in business in the near future. He was probably one of the most popular men on the road. His legion of friends will be surprised to hear of his resignation. Thomas Malone, who has long been in the company's employ, will succeed Mr. Danner.

HAD A THUMB MANGLED.

Leon R. Griffin, of Poplar street, had the misfortune to have the thumb of his right hand badly lacerated last Friday while operating a rip saw at the works of the Star Plating and Manufacturing company, on South Broadway. During the disability of Mr. Griffin, his place in the shop will be filled by Henry Kronemiller, of Taylor street. The Star people are enjoying a big business at present.

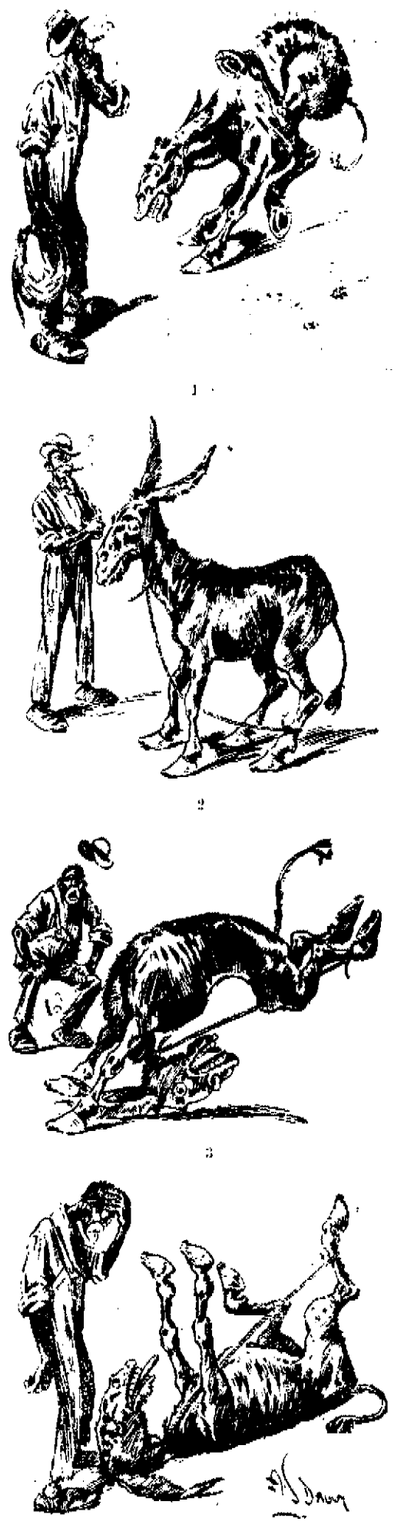
FREIGHT HOUSE SAFE ROBBED.

Captain Stoll, of the Pennsylvania police, this morning received a telegram from Chief Detective J. B. Sollitt, of the Wabash, stating that the safe of the company's freight house at Defiance, Ohio, was blown open last night and rifled of its contents, which in part consisted of cash and stamps. The thieves are believed to have come this way and if they did they will soon be captured. The message did not give the extent of the loss to the company, but it is probably considerable.

SHOPMEN HELP A POOR WOMAN.

A collection was taken up in the Pittsburg machine shop this morning for the benefit of a poor woman residing at Hadley who wants to move to this city and engage in the laundry business. The men responded freely and the woman left the shop with a light heart and a well filled purse. Her main support, a son less than twenty years old, was employed on the road, but for some time has been unable to work on account of sickness. This incident illustrates the generosity of the kind hearted, although their sympathies are sometimes misused or some unfortunate.

HOW UNCLE JOE CURED HIS MULE OF THE KICKING HABIT.



OFFER TO FIGHT.

Hibernian Rifles Tender Their Services in Case of War.

The Young Soldiers Voted Unanimously in Favor.

Captain Ford Sent a Telegram to Governor Mount.

Company B, Third Infantry, Will be Mustered Into the National Guard—The Fort Wayne Guards.

The Hibernian Rifles will fight for the stars and stripes in case war is declared with Spain.

The Rifles held a meeting in Library hall yesterday afternoon and voted to a man to offer their services to Governor Mount. Speeches were made to the young patriots by Captain J. H. Rohan and Patrick Ryan, both of whom were soldiers in the civil war. There were ten married men at the meeting and their patriotism was just as strong as that of the single men. Not one of them was opposed to the proposition to offer the services of the company. Captain J. E. Ford sent the following telegram to the governor:

Governor Mount:

The Hibernian Rifles of Fort Wayne, at a meeting this afternoon voted to a man offer their services to you in case of war.

J. E. FORD, Captain.

WILL MUSTER IN.

Captain Reese has been busily engaged since Saturday in filling out enlistment papers for applicants to Company B, Third infantry. Many of the men were examined by Drs. Siver and Barnett yesterday and today. Tonight the company will be mustered in by Major J. E. Miller, who was sent here by Adjutant General Gore.

The Fort Wayne Guards drilled at Lakeside park yesterday

ASK FOR GUNS.

As a result of a conference between Governor Mount, General McKee and Lieut. May, held Saturday in the state house, a telegram was sent the secretary of war asking for six modern field pieces for the use of the batteries of the Indiana national guard. The guns owned by the Indianapolis light artillery and the other two batteries of the Indiana national guard are old-fashioned in design, muzzle-loaders, and it would be dangerous to shoot them with solid shot. In case of war Captain Curtis has anticipated that modern guns would be furnished, but it was decided Saturday to have the batteries at once placed upon a footing equal to the infantry in equipment and the telegram was sent. If the new guns are not sent the modern, breech-loading pieces which are now in use at Purdue and DePauw universities will be transferred for the use of the guard.

Governor Mount also appointed Superintendant Frank Darlington, of the Pennsylvania road, master of transportation, with the rank of colonel. Mr. Darlington will have entire charge of the transportation facilities for moving troops to the point of mobilization in case of war, and his appointment will save much time due to the red tape which otherwise would be necessary to deal between the state and national officials and the railroads.

The Indiana guard is now ready to go at a moment's notice. Every detail has been attended to in anticipation of a call to arms.

The regiment wagons are stored in the basement of the state house with the other equipment; 3,000 blankets, all new and good enough to throw on the finest beds are stored for the guard; the guns are thoroughly cleaned and overhauled, the medicine chests for the hospital corps are filled; the signal corps equipment is in position, and the guard is ready to be mobilized in this city within four hours after the call to arms is received.

The governor has not received an order from the war department as to the probable use of the guard, but he takes it for granted that anticipatory measures are being taken for granted by the war department and that it will expect the governors of all the states to have the guard ready to go at a moment's notice.

Lieutenant May, of the regular army, has requested the secretary of war that he be assigned with the Indiana guard in case of war. All the members of the governor's staff have volunteered their services and all military and semi-military organizations in the city have placed themselves at the disposition of the state authorities. Nothing remains to be done but to answer the call when it comes.

The Humane Society.

Humane Officer Schlaudraff makes the following report for the month of March:

CHILDREN.

Abandoned or neglected	2
Beaten or abused	1
Destitute families	1
Number of children in destitute families	3
Homeless	2
Having improper homes	2
Incorrigible	1
Imbecile	1
Taken to county orphans' home	1
Wife beating	1
Taken to feeble minded school	1
Prosecuted for failing to provide	1
Prosecuted for wife beating	1
Fathers neglecting families	1

ANIMALS.

Beating or abusing	2
Overloading	1
Driven when galled or lame	2
Deprived of necessaries of food or shelter	1
Cases reported at office	11
Not substantiated	1
Warned	1
Prosecuted	1
Convicted	1
Suspended	1
Animals taken from work	1

The Bartenders' union yesterday held a largely attended meeting. They decided to purchase the furniture formerly owned by the bookkeepers' association, and will probably lease the room in the Tri-State building occupied by them. The union also decided to give a grand ball at Randall hall on the last Thursday evening in April.

LABOR TROUBLES.

Five Thousand Chicago Carpenters Quit Work—Cotton Mills Operatives Strike.

CHICAGO, April 4.—About 5,000 union carpenters struck here today, and with the exception of public buildings which were not interfered with, work on nearly every building in course of construction in the city is at a standstill. The reason is a controversy over a rule of the Carpenters and Builders association forbidding union carpenters working for any one not a member of the Carpenters and Builders association.

COTTON MILLS OPERATORS STRIKE.

NORWICH, Con., April 4.—The employees of the Ponomah Cotton mills went out on a strike today. Two thousand hands are employed and the workmen in all departments except the carding and spinning rooms went out to the number of 1,100. The strike was in consequence of a 10 per cent. reduction in wages.

HITS STANDARD OIL.

Supreme Court Enjoins Ohio Company From Gas Waste.

ANDERSON, Ind., April 4.—Judge McClure issued a permanent injunction Saturday night against the Ohio Oil company operating in this county on the grounds of gas waste. He also fined the company $500 for waste.

This action was upon the recent decision in the supreme court of the state upholding the constitutionality of the Indiana anti-gas waste laws and the sections providing fines and punishments.

The Ohio Oil company is the Indiana agent of the Standard. The attorneys served notice that they would file a bond and appeal the case to the supreme court of the United States on a writ of error.

This is the first time the Standard has ever been given a set back by a supreme court.

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"What was the trouble?"

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Is marked "Fell down and broke a plaster!"
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But, oh, he will find that he has rec'd
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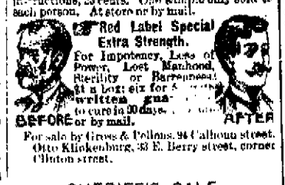

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

No. 15,014.

In the Allen circuit court, State of Indiana.
Geo. McKenzie, Jr., vs. Wm. R. Lambert, et al.

By virtue of an order of sale to me directed and delivered by the clerk of said court, in the above entitled cause, I have levied upon and will expose for sale at public auction, at the court house door in said county, between the hours of 10 and 4 o'clock p. m. of the 23d day of April, 1898, the rents and profits for a term not exceeding 3 years of the following described premises, in Allen County, Indiana, viz:

Lots 11, 12, 13 in Lakeside Park addition to the City of Fort Wayne, Allen County, Indiana, excepting so much of lot numbered one hundred and twenty (120) as is described as follows, commencing at the south east corner of lot numbered 120, thence westerly on the south line of said lot 30 feet, thence northerly so feet to a point on the south line of St. Joe Boulevard 15 feet west of the north east corner of said lot, thence easterly 30 feet to the said north east corner of said lot, thence southerly to the place of beginning.

And on failure to realize therefrom the full amount of the judgement, interest thereon and costs, I will offer the same, and in the manner aforesaid, offer for sale the fee simple of the above described premises. Taken as the property of the defendant to satisfy said order of sale.

ALBERT F. MELCHING,
Sheriff Allen County.

April 2-4.
Abel, attorney for plaintiff.

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EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce that I will be a candidate for mayor, subject to the decision of the democratic city nominating convention April 7, 1898.

HENRY C. SCHERER.

I hereby announce that I will be a candidate for the office of Mayor, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.

WILLIAM DEVAKE.

FOR CITY CLERK.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce my name as a candidate for city clerk, subject to the decision of the democratic city nominating convention.

HENRY B. MONNING.

WATERWORKS TRUSTEE.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce my name as a candidate for waterworks trustee, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

P. J. SINGLETON.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce my name as a candidate for waterwork trustee, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention, Tuesday, April 5, 1898.

C. H. WALTEMATH.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce my name as a candidate for the office of waterworks trustee, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

WM. TACHMER.

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce my name as a candidate for the office of justice of the peace, subject to the decision of the Wayne township democratic nominating convention.

HARRY F. FRANCE.

FOR SENATOR.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce that I am a candidate for state senator, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention of Allen county.

GEORGE V. KELL.

FOR JOINT SENATOR.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce that I am a candidate for joint senator for the district composed of Adams and Allen counties, subject to the democratic convention of June 1, 1898.

J. T. SNOW,
Decatur, Ind.

FOR SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce that I will be a candidate for judge of the superior court of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention of June 1.

CHARLES M. DAWSON.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Announce that I am a candidate for the nomination for the judgeship of the Allen superior court, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

THOMAS E. ELLISON.

EDITOR SENTINEL: I hereby beg leave to announce to the democratic party of Allen county that I will be a candidate for nomination for judge of the superior court of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic convention to be held on the 4th day of June next.

ROBERT LOWRY.

FOR CLERK.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce that I will be a candidate for the office of clerk of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic county convention.

DR. L. S. NULL.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Announce that I am a candidate for the office of county clerk, subject to the decision of the next democratic nominating convention.

FRANK J. BELOT.

FOR COUNTY AUDITOR.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce that I will be a candidate for auditor of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

LOUIS J. BOBILYA.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce that I will be a candidate for auditor of Allen county subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

WILLIAM MEYER, JR.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce the name of Captain John H. Rohan as a candidate for treasurer of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention, and oblige

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ADOLPH SCHULTE.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce my name as a candidate for treasurer of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

A. E. SCHNITKER,
New Haven, Allen Co., Ind.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce my name as a candidate for treasurer of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

WILLIAM SCOTT,
Lafayette Township.

FOR COUNTY RECORDER.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce that I will be a candidate for recorder of Allen county, subject to the decision of the next democratic nominating convention.

FREDERICK FRY,
Jefferson Township.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce my name as a candidate for recorder of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

CHARLES W. SCHERER.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce my name as a candidate for recorder of Allen county, subject to decision of the democratic nominating convention.

CHARLES M. GILLETT.

FOR CORONER.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce that I am a candidate for renomination for the office of coroner of Allen county for a second term, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

JOHN H. KAPPEL, M. D.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce that I am a candidate for the nomination for the office of coroner of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

DR. W. W. BARNETT.

FOR SURVEYOR.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce my name as a candidate for the office of surveyor of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

JOHN A. BUSHMAN.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce that I will be a candidate for surveyor of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention June 4th.

CHARLES W. BRANSTRATOR.

FOR SHERIFF.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce that I will be a candidate for renomination for a second term, for the office of sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic county convention.

ALBERT E. MELCHING.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce that I am a candidate for the office of commissioner of the Third district of Allen county subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

C. E. ORFF.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce that I am a candidate for renomination for the office of commissioner of the First district of Allen county subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

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WANTED—If you want to borrow money see "ad" on first page, first column. Room 3, Arcade, upstairs. 7tf

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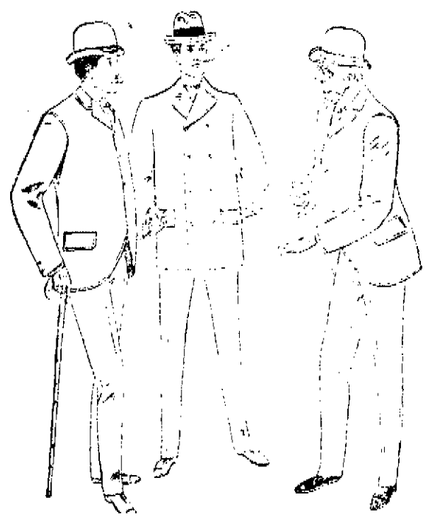

There Isn't a Man In Town,

No matter how lowly or high his station, but what would like a new suit for Easter. We are showing a most magnificent line of Spring Suits; suits that are rightly made and fit. A store full of surprises for you. Our men's suits from $10.00 to $20.00 will astonish you. Not the kind the cheap tailor makes, but the right kind. Correct styles and perfect in every respect.

Top Coats from $10.00 to $15.00. Some lined throughout with Skinner's pure dye silk serge. All made and trimmed right.

New Neckwear just received. Easter styles. See our handsome Puffs and Teeks at 50c. You'd think they were $1.00--they look it. Easter Hats and Gloves. Prices always lowest.

Our Boys' and Children's department better than ever. Suits and Top Coats for the little folks. Ages, 3 to 8 years, styles which are exclusive with us and cannot be duplicated at any other store in town. Prices are interestingly low. Quality supremely high.

League Balls, horse hide cover or patent steel knives given away with Children's Suits.

Garden Sets for the little fellows.

Standard Thermometers and Barometers given away with Men's Suits.

Sam Peter & Max
CLOTHIERS,
58 CALHOUN ST.

The Evening Sentinel.

MONDAY, APRIL 4, 1898.

OUR TELEPHONES.

Business Office - - - - - - No. 175.
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The Weather.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—For Ohio and Indiana: Rain in the southeastern portion, followed by clearing; colder in central and southern portions; brisk to high northwest winds.

NEWS NOTES.

Guy Dwyer returned to Ann Arbor today.

Mrs. L. A. Goodman has returned from a two weeks' visit in Chicago.

Mrs. G. L. Clayton goes to Indianapolis this week for a short visit.

The Modern Woodmen will hold a social at the Red Men's hall this evening.

Mrs. R. J. Fisher arrived home today, after several months sojourn at Pasadena, Cal.

Mrs. C. H. Rout and children, of Auburn, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Mahurin.

Mrs. W. W. Manzen and Mrs. Gossett left Saturday for a visit in Richmond and Indianapolis.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Fry, of 26 East Taber street, is quite sick with tonsilitis.

The Woman's Christian union will meet at the Emory street M. E. church Tuesday afternoon, at 2:30.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Miller, of South Calhoun street—a girl. Mr. Miller is salesman for Louis Fox & Co.

C. W. Davis, of Chicago, representing the L. A. W. Bulletin, and "Good Roads," was visiting prominent wheelmen in the city Saturday.

Vence Campbell and V. Post, of the Central Union Telephone company, have left for Bluffton, Ind., on a two weeks' vacation among some of their old friends.

The Misses Knight entertained Saturday afternoon at progressive hearts in honor of Miss Gorham, of Rockport, Ill. Miss Kate Beebe succeeded in disposing of the greatest number of hearts and was awarded the prize.

Some children playing about a barn on the Niemeyer property on Madison street Saturday afternoon, set fire to the building. The department was called out but the blaze was extinguished before much damage had been done.

Arrangements have been completed for the match between Ed Connors, of Grand Rapids, and "Kid" Ryan, of this city. The event will take place before the Athletic club on next Friday evening. An interesting program has been provided for.

The smallest bicycle ever brought to Fort Wayne is on exhibition in the window of Mr. Barthold, agent of the Luthy and St. Julien wheels, in the Arcade. The wheel is ridden by Baby Barthold, aged only three years, and the wheels are only fourteen inches in diameter. The little rider has no trouble riding alongside a grown person.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Allen County Orphan's home will be held at the home on the afternoon of Tuesday, April 5, at 3 o'clock. It is a rule of the association that if any member or stockholder shall fail to be present at two consecutive meetings, unless excused by the trustees, his stock shall be forfeited.

The Saxon society of the city celebrated the Ninteith anniversary of the founding of their society Saturday night. The celebration occurred at the old Saengerbund hall on West Main street. It was a jolly crowd of Saxons that gathered at that place to make merry that night. Many of them were en masque and presented a grotesque sight.

Superintendent Johnson, of the School for Feeble Minded Youth, has received a letter from the attorney of the heirs of the late Mr. Spangler, of Auburn, informing him that the family has decided not to mortgage the old homestead so as to pay the school the $1,000 which was bequeathed it in the will of Mr. Spangler, but that they would give the cash. It is probable that the money will be used for the erection of a playhouse.

Carpets, Mattings, Rugs, Curtains and Draperies.

A few years ago we commenced to handle the above line of goods and our trade has increased from hundreds to thousands of dollars.

Wishing to eclipse former sales, we have laid in a larger supply than usual and hope the assortment will bear your inspection before buying.

CARPETS—Granite Ingrains, 25c; all wool, 40c; best all-wool, 65c; Eight Wire Tapestry, 50c; Ten Wire Tapestry, 55c; and Best Moquettes, 90c per yard.

MATTINGS—A good one for 12c and Cotton Warp at 15c; Fancy, 25c per yard.

RUGS—A large assortment from the smallest at 15c and ranging up to $50 each.

CURTAINS AND DRAPERIES—All colors and latest patterns. A good pair for 75c and others up to $50.

Church rate for making and laying Carpets is 5c per yard.

FRUIT HOUSE.

MONEY TO LOAN
On real estate or personal security. C. F. PFEIFFER, Rooms 6-7, Bass Blk. 211

Fishing Tackle.

Attention is called that the above line is the latest addition to our stock and the assortment is complete to satisfy the wants of all, with prices the lowest.

FRUIT HOUSE.

Sergeant Harkenrider is taking his vacation.

C. M. Pettit, of Hicksville, Ohio, is in the city.

Miss Emma Dickerson sundayed with friends in Hoagland.

Miss Hilda Moller is entertaining Miss Lillian Maynard, of New York.

Rev. and Mrs. Alex Kennard are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Williams.

John Sam, of Monroeville, spent Sunday in the city the guest of friends.

A. P. Dodd and William Harter, of Defiance, Ohio, were in the city Sunday.

S. E. Weeks, of the Wood Tailoring establishment, spent Sunday in Lima, Ohio.

Bishop B. R. Jones will preach at the East Creighton avenue Free Methodist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Cupp, of this city, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Bixler, of Huntington.

Miss Clara Deane has returned from Lowell to spend the Easter holidays with her parents.

Christ's Lutheran church, corner Jefferson and Webster streets, will hold services this evening, at 7:30.

Mrs. George Barrett, of Warsaw, is in Fort Wayne visiting her mother, Mrs. Joseph Langard. She will remain until after Easter.

Mrs. Irene Schlosche, of Chicago, is visiting her brother, L. E. Holding, of John street. She expects to remain here a week.

Miss Mary Codling, of Norfolk, England, arrived here Saturday and will be the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Harry Evans, of 59 Wells street, for several months.

An urgent request has been issued that all members attend the meeting of the Union Veteran Legion this evening. Business of importance is to be transacted.

Miss Susie Ferguson has gone to Sturgis, Mich., to spend several days with friends. She was accompanied by the daughter of F. E. Anderson, the mail carrier.

The Fort Wayne Bimetallic union will meet at the circuit court room this evening to select thirteen delegates to the convention of the bimetallic clubs of the Ohio valley, to be held in Indianapolis April 6 and 7.

The young men of the Cathedral, fully organized yesterday and had their first practice. W. Lauer was elected captain, C. Eckart, assistant captain, and Mr. Fleming, manager. They have some of the best talent in the city.

A very enjoyable neighborhood party was given Saturday afternoon by Mrs. Charles Worden in honor of Mrs. Silver, of Columbus. The guests took their fancy work and stitched busily as they talked. Dainty refreshments were served.

The E'Galantes enjoyed a dance at Sons of Columbus hall Saturday night. About forty young people were present. The chaperons were Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Fitch, Mr. and Mrs. A. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Freyer and Miss Mayme C. Fuller.

Officers for the ensuing year in the Current Literature club were elected at a meeting held with Mrs. C. J. Lose, last week, as follows: Mrs. Will Freese, president; Mrs. Arthur Hadley, vice president; Mrs. Newell Ransom, secretary; Mrs. M. C. Baker, treasurer.

E. J. Lemon went to Chicago last night and is expected home this evening with the chainless wheel invented by Harry Buell. The wheel will be placed on exhibition in the show window of the Randall Cycle Co., where Mr. Buell will explain to visitors its superiority over other chainless bicycles.

Thomas Beveridge, brother of Mrs. Thomas Phillips, of the north side, arrived in the city last Thursday, having made the journey by bicycle. This morning Mr. Beveridge left awheel en route to Rochester, N. Y. He reports the roads in good condition for this season of the year.

Attractive invitations have been issued for an important and interesting quarterly meeting of the Young Woman's Christian association, which will be held Tuesday evening. There will be a talk by Miss Shank, state secretary, music by the ladies' chorus and girls' branch, a drill by the advanced class in gymnastics and reports of work done during the past quarter.

The advertising for the R. G. Ingersoll lecture is the finest seen in Fort Wayne for years. Bill boards in different parts of the city are painted in colors announcing the coming of the eloquent lecturer and each advertisement contains an emblem of American patriotism. Col. John A. Scott, who has charge of the advertising, has opened an office at 70 East Berry street, where today he was regaling his callers with fine cigars and sweet cider.

Patterson is the place to buy your spring overcoat.

Big Reduction

In price Canned Goods, Evaporated Apples and Holland Herring at The Greatest.

25c cans Gooseberries, 20c
25c cans White Cherries, 20c.
25c cans Blueberries, 20c
5c cans Green Gage Plums, 5c
Evaporated Dried Apples, 10c lb.
Holland Herring, 5c a keg.

THE GREATEST GROCERY

See the beautiful Easter ties at Reuben S. Patterson's.

C. W. Boerger has removed his real estate and insurance office to No. 76 Calhoun street, over Mommer's shoe store. 132

A close shave.

Ticket 38,264 is worth $10 at Reuben S. Patterson's.

Ira White, of Elkhart, is in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Archer are in Atlanta, Ga.

Ben Meyerson, of Philadelphia, is at the Wayne.

Henry Meyer, of Meyer Bros.' hat store, is on the sick list.

W. P. Denny has returned from a business trip to Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. George Colar visited in Lafayette Sunday and today.

Miss Emma Holloway, of Indianapolis, is the guest of Miss Lillian Fisk.

Henry Traxler, of Nevada, Ohio, visited friends in Fort Wayne over Sunday.

Miss Margaret Aherns of Valparaiso, is the guest of relatives in Fort Wayne.

Judge C. W. Watkins, of Huntington, transacted business in Fort Wayne today.

There will be a meeting of Home lodge No. 42, F. and A. M., tomorrow evening.

Miss Laura Oettier is expected in Fort Wayne this week to spend the spring vacation.

Miss Millie Plessinger, of Bluffton, is in the city the guest of Miss Lizzie Geary, of No. 60 Cass street.

Mrs. C. W. Passmore is lying seriously ill at the home of her niece, Mrs. J. B. Forner, No. 8 West Jefferson street.

P. B. McCabe and T. A. Black, of Yeoho, Ariz., are at the Wayne. Mr. McCabe is an attorney in Yeoho and is interested with B. J. Fisher in some mines in the west.

The Hod Carriers' union has received its charter from the Building Laborers International Protective union of America. The laborers have also received a charter from the American Federation of Labor. Both these organizations are affiliated with the Trades and Labor council.

W. P. Smith, of the Smith & Randall Lumber company, received serious injuries Saturday. He was superintending the loading of a Wabash car, and in some manner lost his footing and fell to the ground. The ligaments in one of his legs were badly strained, and he was conveyed to his home, where Dr. Greenawalt is attending him. Mr. Smith will be confined to his home for several days. Only a few days ago his son was badly cut and is still receiving medical aid.

The quarterly meeting of the Young Women's Christian association, to be held Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock, promises to be of special interest. This is an important and interesting meeting, coming as it does at the close of the winter's work. Besides their reports, some of the committees will practically demonstrate their work. The girls' branch and ladies' chorus will both contribute music and the advanced class in gymnastics will give a short exhibition. An enjoyable feature of the program will be the singing of the Misses Evans and Harding. Through these meetings the members and friends are kept informed of the work of the association and it is hoped that a large number will be present.

Yesterday was palm Sunday, a feast of particular significance in the Catholic church. The day is set aside to commemorate the entry of Christ into Jerusalem previous to his crucifixion, when the populace hailed him with glad acclaim as a conqueror. The ceremonies commemorating his triumphal entry, are among the most beautiful in the Catholic liturgy. Previous to the mass the blessing of the palms takes place. Branches of palm, commemorative of the symbols of the conqueror carried by the people of Jerusalem in going to meet Jesus, are first blessed and then distributed among the people, to be kept as reminders of the proneness of humanity to render empty honors to God. After this comes the mass, during which the passion is sung, and this is a most impressive ceremonial. It is usually sung by three priests and is the story of the crucifiction, as related in the gospel of St. Matthew. One of the priests, usually the celebrant of the mass, chants the words spoken by Jesus, while another chants the narrative, and the third the portions of the sacred story quoting the other characters in the great tragedy of Calvary. The faithful usually have prayer books, with translations of the gospel, as sung by the priests in Latin. At the Cathedral the passion was sung during solemn high mass, at 10:30, and at St. Patrick's and the other churches at the usual hour for high mass.

A close shave.

LENTEN SERVICES.

Plymouth Church This Week—In Holy Places With the Master.

There will be special Lenten services held in the lecture room of Plymouth church this week, on three evenings and one afternoon. Each service will consist of appropriate responsive readings and hymns, and a short sermon by the pastor, Rev. Jas. S. Ainslie.

The topics and dates of each meeting are as follows:

TUESDAY EVENING, 7:30, APRIL 5.

"In the Guest Chamber." the Place of Friendship. Mark 14:12-16; John 15:9-17.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, APRIL 6.

"In the Garden;" the Place of Suffering. Matthew 26:30-46.

THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 7.

"In the Judgment Hall;" the Place of Injustice and Indignity. Luke 22:66-23:25.

GOOD FRIDAY, 3 TO 4 O'CLOCK.

"On the Cross;" the Place of Self-Sacrifice. Luke 23:26-49.

It is suggested that all who are interested in these services cut out this program and keep it for reference.

A close shave.

ATTEMPTED HOLD-UP

Three Men Tackle Fred Helling and Get Left.

Double-Header and Young Doolittle at Their South Calhoun Street Stores—Police News.

Saturday night while on route to his home, Fred Helling, jr., was attacked by three men, who attempted to rob him. Fred was equal to the emergency and gave the thugs such a fight that they were unable to get anything from him, although one of his wrists was quite seriously cut. Mr. Helling went home and returned with his guns on a hunt for the desperate fellows who assaulted him. He failed to find them, however. The matter was not reported to the police.

PARTNERS FIGHT.

Wells Doolittle and George W. Young, who conduct a grocery store and saloon at 292 South Calhoun street, came to blows Saturday night and were arrested by Officer Elhart. Doolittle had Young arrested for selling liquor without a license and Justice Bellerman acquitted Young, who went back to the store and had some trouble with Doolittle. The matter was patched up until about 8:30 Saturday evening when the partners quarreled and fought. The were taken to the city prison and released on bond, Attorney John H. Aiken representing Young and T. W. Wilson Doolittle. This morning Mayor Scherer continued the case until Thursday. Meanwhile Superintendent is carrying the key to the store, which is closed. Doolittle is carrying a badly bruised face.

POLICE COURT.

Two vagrants were before his honor, Mayor Scherer, this morning. One was released and the other sent to jail for fifteen days.

Lieutenant Lapp has compiled the following report of the arrests made by the police and detectives during the month of April, 1898:

Intoxication	17
Disorderly conduct in saloons	2
Vagrancy	2
Fighting	1
Gambling	1
Carrying concealed weapons	1
Assault and battery	1
Assault with intent to commit rape	1
Assault and battery with intent to kill	1
Grand larceny	1
Petit larceny	6
Petit larceny, receiving stolen goods	1
Total	35

Persons lodged in the police station during the month of March, 151.

WALL PAPER.

We invite you to call and see our new novelties in Wall Hangings for the spring. We have them all—BAGDADS, INGRAIN DENIMS, ORIENTAL TAPESTRIES, all the deep shades in REDS, BLUES, GREENS, BROWNS, to match the new colors in carpets. All shades of INGRAINS, RAW SILKS, LEATHER EFFECTS, CINDELIERS.

Such a complete assortment cannot be found anywhere else in Fort Wayne, and this means you can be suited without question.

KEIL & KEIL,
116 Calhoun Street.

Mr. Vincent, First Presbyterian church tonight; topic: "James Russell Lowell."

THE NEW SHOE STORE

86 Calhoun Street,

Will continue the remarkable bargain sale of fine shoes all this week. All $2.50 and $2.25 shoes, as well as any of Trethaway stock left over, all go at $1.98. Come and select your shoes. We have also a fine line of tan of all shades.

J. W. MAGO,
4-6 The Shoeman.

SILVER MEETING.

Tonight, at the circuit court room, the Fort Wayne Bimetallic union will meet to choose delegates to the convention of the League of Bimetallic Clubs of the Ohio Valley, to be held in Indianapolis, April 6 and 7. Those who expect or desire to attend the convention are specially requested to be present.

Neat and nobby are the patterns, and a perfect fit guaranteed, in our spring suits. G. Schmidt, Merchant Tailor, 70 E. Main street. 11tf

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COLUMBIA MACHINE WORKS,
19-tf 54 and 56 Barr Street.

For Sale.

The Young Men's Christian association building and lot 40x100 feet. Price $23,000. Inquire or write to

W. E. CLAPHAM, Pres.,
27tf 22-23 Pixley-Long Bldg.

Just received, a full line of nobby spring suitings, at lowest prices. Fit guaranteed. G. Schmidt, Merchant Tailor, 70 E. Main St. 11tf

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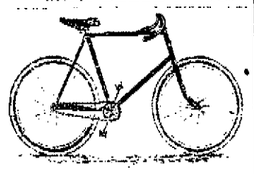
ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

Received of Tribe of Ben Hur $1,000, full amount of certificate held by my husband, who was killed Sunday, Feb. 28, only seven days intervening between his death and payment of claim. I desire to express my gratitude to the order for their prompt payment and to the members of the local court for their sympathy in my great bereavement.

MRS. BELLE FILES.



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75c Ladies' Kid Gloves, new shades for Easter, worth $1.00.
$1.00 Foster Hook Glove, new shades for Easter, worth $1.25.
All Dollar Gloves are warranted.
New Plaid Ribbons for Easter at 20 and 25c.
New Laces for Easter.
New Corsets for Easter.
New Hosiery for Easter.
12½c Ladies' Hose, worth 17c.
15c Ladies' Hose, worth 20c.
19c Ladies' Hose, worth 25c.
25c Ladies' Fancy Hose, worth 35c.
Children's Plaid Hose at 15, 20 and 25c.
Special Bargains in Black Dress Goods for this week.
Special Bargains in Lace Curtains for this week.
Special Bargains in Tapestry Curtains for this week.
Special Sale of Rugs this week.
3½c Dark Fancy Prints.
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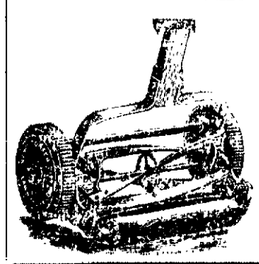

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TIDAL WAVE OF DEATH.

Levee Breaks and Shawneetown, Ill., is Completely Inundated.

The Loss of Life is Believed to Have Been Five Hundred.

Survivors Are Without Shelter and Have Very Little Food.

High Water Has Practically Cut Off Communication With the Devastated Town and Work of Relief is Greatly Hampered--Governor Tanner Takes Prompt Measures of Relief--Details of Disaster Hard to Obtain.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., April 4.—Early last evening the levee at Shawneetown, Ill., broke above the town, and from all information that can be secured here it is learned that a great part of the place has been destroyed and a large number of people, estimated from 200 to 500, have been drowned.

Shawneetown is seventy-five miles below Evansville on the Ohio river. It is situated in a valley of extremely low land, with hills skirting it in the rear and a twenty-five foot levee in front running from hill to hill. The town is very much in the position of a fortified city, and when the levee gave way a mile above town, under the pressure of the very high river, the water shot through a twenty-foot opening and struck the place like a hurricane, sweeping everything before it.

Houses were turned and tossed about like boxes. The people had no warning of the break and for that reason many were caught. Those at home sought refuge in second stories and on housetops. Those in the streets were carried before the avalanche of water and probably a majority were drowned.

A survivor came from the place by skiff to a telephone several miles away and asked aid from Evansville. He said more than two hundred people were drowned and he had reason to believe the number would reach five hundred.

The levee broke on the left side of Shawneetown about 5 o'clock. Twenty minutes afterwards the town was flooded and a few buildings were thrown down by the force of the water when it broke through the levee.

The roar of the flood alarmed the people and all who could took refuge in the school house, court house and Riverside hotel, substantial buildings which it was believed could resist the force of the water.

The town is flooded to a depth of ten or fifteen feet on the Main street. So far as known only the proprietors of two clothing stores succeeded in saving any of their stock.

NEWS ONLY BY TELEPHONE.

CAIRO, Ill., April 4.—It is now estimated that the number of drowned at Shawneetown is 500. Shawneetown citizens have telephoned Cairo to telegraph to Governor Tanner to send food, supplies, coffins and tents.

Shawnee is completely cut off from telegraph or rail communication and news can be transmitted only by telephone from a point eight or ten miles away.

RELIEF TRAIN STARTED.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 4.—A special train will leave here for Shawneetown on the Chicago and Alton at 2 o'clock this p. m. with a supply of provisions, blankets and tents. It was the intention at first to send all the caskets that could be obtained. Only a few, however, were found available, and Adjutant General Reece wired a St. Louis coffin factory to immediately load a car with caskets. The car will be attached to the special train at East St. Louis. About three freight-car loads of provisions will be attached to the train.

PEOPLE WERE AT CHURCH.

Flood Swept Over the Town Like Water Through a Mill Race.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., April 4.—The Louisville and Nashville railroad accomodation train, from southern Illinois, arrived here at 10:30 o'clock. It was expected many people from Shawneetown would be aboard, but it is learned that the trains on this branch have for a week proceeded no further than Eldora, ten miles away.

The trainmen bring the report that the fa[illegible] Sheriff Galloway was compel[illegible] out by the flood.

It is rep[illegible] levee broke [illegible] an electrician [illegible] money power sta- while the people were at church and that many were drowned because there was no warning, the flood sweeping over the town like water through a mill race.

C. L. Stores, who had charge of the provision boat from Evansville, telephones from Mount Vernon, Ind., that he has just returned from Shawneetown. Mayor Darney now estimates the loss of life at 100 people.

There is no list of names prepared as yet. He confirms the report that Sheriff Galloway's family is drowned.

The bodies were recovered at 10 o'clock this morning all clasped in each other's embrace. The levee broke on the north side and without warning, catching the people like rats in a trap. The entire town is submerged from ten to twenty feet. The people are huddled in the Riverside hotel, court house and school house, all of which are two-story buildings.

Evansville's provision boat arrived early this morning. Mayor Akin's dispatch was read to those assembled in the Riverside hotel amid breathless silence.

When it was completed the people shouted "God bless Evansville and her mayor."

The ladies wept aloud and tears streamed down the faces of the men. Only two negroes are reported drowned and they were very old people.

CALL FOR RELIEF.

Governor Tanner Responds Promptly With All Means at Hand.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 4.—Governor Tanner today received the following message relative to the Shawneetown disaster:

"RIDGEWAY, Ill., April 4.

"To John R. Tanner, Governor:

"The ground gave way under the levee at 4:15 p. m., and the loss of life is nearly one-fourth of our population. We have no provisions to feed our people for one meal. We need tents, clothing for the living, burial caskets to bury the dead. Help us at once.

"D. M. CARNEY, Mayor."

"CAIRO, Ill., April 4.

"To John R. Tanner, Governor:

"Mr. George Goetzman, a reliable merchant of Shawneetown, just now confirms report of levee break last night. Says the mayor sent to Ridgeway, the nearest point of communication, to get a message in his name to you to send tents, provisions and burial caskets immediately via. East St. Louis and Enfield, where a train from Ridgeway will be in waiting. Goetzman says the scene is worse than Johnstown. Four hundred are estimated drowned and all property lost and remainder of people on levee and house tops and rain adds to distress. Answer me here and I will communicate by telephone.

"JOHN M. CRAIG.

"President White County Telephone Co."

Governor Tanner, after consultation with Dr. F. W. Wines, secretary of the state board of charities, sent the following message:

"W. S. Phillips, President Ridgeway Bank, Ridgeway, Ill.:

"Hon. Fred Wines, secretary of the state board of charities, and Miss Julia Lathrop will leave on first train for Shawneetown. The doctor represents me in caring for the sufferers. Cooperate with him in forming relief committee. I authorize you to draw upon me for $3,000. Have issued proclamation appealing to the public for relief of the flood sufferers. Am preparing to send a train with tents to shelter and accommodate 1,000 people; three hundred blankets and twelve hundred emergency rations.

"JOHN R. TANNER,

"Springfield. Governor.

RELIEF ON THE WAY.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 4.—Dr. F. H. Wines, secretary state board of charities, left here this forenoon with a special train over the Chicago and Alton for Shawneetown via St. Louis, from which place he reaches Shawneetown over the Louisville and Nashville railroad. Dr. Wines takes the tents and rations of the Illinois National guard for 1,000 people.

INDIANA'S WAR FUND

State Has Plenty of Cash for the Purpose.

An Extra Session of the Legislature Would Not be Necessary in Case of War.

INDIANAPOLIS, April 4.—In case war were declared and Indiana were called on for troops the state is in excellent financial condition for such an emergency. It would not be necessary to call a special session of the legislature. Governor Mount said last night that as he understood the situation all money not otherwise appropriated would be available for a war emergency. In June, if no emergency arises, there will be in the state treasury about $400,000, which will be applied on the state debt. Of this amount $100,000 goes into the sinking fund, is sacred to that purpose and could not be drawn on. Notwithstanding there would be available a sum large enough to meet emergencies for some time to come. The governor thinks that if there were to be a war of great proportions, calling for the enlistment and arming of many men, the funds available might be exhausted. This is, of course dependent on the magnitude of the war, if there shall be one. But even if the available funds were exhausted the governor does not think it would be necessary to call a special session of the legislature, as he is of the opinion the state executive would have the right to borrow money if that were deemed more expedient than to call the legislature together. The condition would be somewhat like that during the civil war when Governor Morton borrowed money, except that at that time there was in session a legislature which refused to authorize the loan. He borrowed the money and waited until a loyal legislature reimbursed him. Governor Mount is confident no such condition would exist now, as the people of the state are anxious to do their share in sustaining the reputation of the nation and the regular session of the legislature would doubtless approve the administration in a war loan. In view of the fact that the regular session of the legislature will occur in such a short time after it might be necessary to borrow, the governor does not appear to think it would be necessary to call a special session.

"Of course, these things are questions to be decided as the emergency arises," said he. "My understanding is that the state has ample funds for emergencies and that there would be no trouble in raising more if it were necessary."

THE POWERS MOVE.

Exchange of Notes Concerning Mediation.

It Is Definitely Learned in Washington That European Nations Will Tender Good Offices—The Latest.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—3:10 P. M.—It has just been learned here definitely that an exchange of notes between the great powers of Europe has begun concerning mediation on the Spanish-American question. At least two of the embassies in Washington have received information that this exchange is now in progress, but no definite instructions have been received by the diplomatic representatives here.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—Conservative senators who were at the capitol early today announced that the outlook in the Cuban matter appeared very ominous to them. One of them, who has been especially optimistic and anxious to avert war, stated that everything possible had been done and failed and that the president had decided to inform congress definitely that he had exhausted all diplomatic resources to settle the Cuban question and to leave the matter to congress. There had been a hope, he said, that Spain might be controlled by the financial interests, but he thought the time had gone by for that and that the people of Spain could not be restrained.

RECORD BREAKERS.

Rev. Leeper and Dr. Wenger Make a Quick Trip Across the Atlantic.

THE SENTINEL is in receipt of a letter from Dr. Wenger, dated March 22, on board the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse. Rev. Leeper was also on board the ship, which landed in Bremen the day the letter was written, having made the trip from New York to England in five days and seventeen hours. The Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse is 649 feet long, has fifty boilers, sixty-four engines, consumes 860 tons of coal per day and employs 470 seamen and can carry 1,800 people.

The Fort Wayne tourists report pleasant weather and plenty to eat, the meals being served three times a day and lunch at 10, 3 and 8 o'clock.

ACTION OUTLINED.

Probable Scope of President's Message.

Document Will go to Congress Wednesday.

It Will Demand Independence for Cuba.

Representative Grout Introduces Cuban Joint Resolution in the House—Foreign Affairs Committee.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 4.—It is altogether probable that the president's message to congress on the Cuban situation will not be sent in before Wednesday.

While specific recommendations the president will make in this message can not be stated at this time, nor is it certain that the president himself has yet fully worked out all the details.

The general features of the message, however, have been decided upon.

The president, it is learned, will favor a recognition of independence and forcible intervention, if necessary, to prevent further hostilities in Cuba.

Spain's answer in effect will be declared to be unsatisfactory and to leave little or no reasonable ground for hope that a satisfactory settlement of the Cuban question is at all likely to be reached through diplomatic agencies.

The president will favor intervention and his message will make no recommendations or suggestions in conflict with that idea. The disaster to the Maine will be prominently brought to the fore and will be treated in a vigorous manner.

The whole subject, it is believed, will be discussed in a spirit of patriotism that must commend itself to the entire American people. This policy, however, it is said, does not necessarily involve war, but leaves the determination of that question to Spain herself.

Without something, now unexpected, happens within a comparatively short time the indications point to at least a show of force against Havana.

The published report that the pope has offered to mediate between this government and Spain with a view to a peaceful solution of the difficulty is again officially denied. This government, it is stated, cannot under any circumstances accept mediation or interference from any foreign power, nor up to this time has any been proffered.

GROUT'S MEASURE.

Introduces in the House a Cuban Independence Resolution.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—In the house Mr. Grout (rep., Vt.) today introduced the following:

"Joint resolution recognizing the independence of the republic of Cuba, and for other purposes!

"Resolved, by the senate and house of representatives that the United States of America recognizes the republic of Cuba as a free and independent state;

"That the president is hereby authorized to expend out of the appropriation made for the national defense in the act approved March 9, 1898, not exceeding $400,000 to provide non-combatant Cubans with the necessary food, raiment and medicine for their immediate relief from starvation; also necessary implements of agriculture and seeds for planting a crop;

"Provided, that the relief herein authorized to non-combatant Cubans shall be extended only through duly authorized agents of the United States; and to this end the president is authorized to request the co-operation of the proper officers of Spain in the island of Cuba."

Mr. Grout said that he believed the president's message would go beyond a resolution of this kind.

BEHIND LOCKED DOORS.

House Committee on Foreign Affairs Have Important Meeting.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—When the house committee on foreign affairs went into session today all the doors were ordered locked and no cards were allowed to be taken into members.

Every member of the committee was pledged to secrecy before the committee adjourned.

One of the republican members, however, said, in response to persistent inquiries:

"We did nothing."

The committee will meet again tomorrow. Members of the committee do not expect anything to be done in the house today.

It was stated that the meeting was of considerable importance. Chairman Adams informed the committee that the president would soon communicate to congress his views on the Cuban question and that action in advance of his message would be premature and extremely inadvisable.

Some of the democratic members of the committee demanded to know when the message would be sent in, and Mr. Adams said that Wednesday at the outside, but he hoped that it would be sent tomorrow. The question of treating the Maine as a separate incident was also considered. On this subject there was divergent opinion.

It is understood that the purpose of the meeting is to prepare and report in accordance with the recommendations of the president, if those recommendations are sufficiently developed, and the message sure to come in tomorrow. It is the desire of the committee to be ready to report immediately following the reading of the message, better if comes Tuesday or Wednesday.

THE MAINE DISASTER

Will be Dealt in Senate Foreign Affairs Committee's Report.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—The senate committee on foreign relations resumed its sitting today. The committee has arrived at definite conclusion as to the resolutions it will recommend, and Senator Davis has prepared the report to accompany the resolutions. This report will deal with the situation in vigorous language, and it is understood that much will be made in it of the Maine disaster.

The committee has accepted the finding of the court of inquiry so far as it goes, but has exercised the prerogative of extending the inquiry and of drawing conclusions in advance of those withdrawn by the Maine court. This report will be in the nature of an address to the country, in justification of the resolutions to be reported by the committee.

AN ACT OF WAR.

Senator Perkins on Declines the Destruction of the Maine.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—The capitol was jammed today with people interested in Cuban affairs. The Chandler resolution calling for consular correspondence went over, on motion of Mr. Davis, chairman of the foreign relations committee, until Wednesday and the Gray independence resolution followed.

Senator Perkins, of California, in a speech on the Cuban question, declared that the blowing up of the Maine by the Spanish officials was an act of war and he believed it was so regarded by nations of the world.

THE PAPAL EFFORT.

The Manner in Which Leo's Offices Were Tendered.

It Was Represented to the Pope That His Mediation Would be Acceptable to President McKinley.

MADRID, April 4.—1:20 P. M.—The correspondent here of the Associated Press, has just had an interview with a high personage of great authority who cleared up many discrepancies in previous reports, showing just how the papal intervention occurred.

Unfortunately, the name of this high personage cannot be quoted, but, no one is better qualified to speak with knowledge of the subject. This minister said:

"There is no papal telegram whatever. What happened was that the Spanish ambassador at the vatican was approached by Cardinal Rampolla (the papal secretary of state), who told him the president of the United States had allowed it to be understood that papal intervention would be acceptable. The Spanish ambassador wired here to that effect, and thereupon we indicated that through having sent a categorical reply to President McKinley, the terms having previously been conceded to the last point consistent with Spain's honor, we were certain the pope would respect the rights and honor of Spain, and agreed to his intervention.

"It was impossible for our regular army, fighting rebels, to agree to offer an armistice at the suggestion of a certain foreign power, but when the father of Christendom, without material force, but with vast moral power, offered intervention, we could not refuse accepting, knowing well that reliance might be placed upon his excellent judgment.

"So, not an armistice, but a truce—a truce of God—has been agreed upon. This, however, requires action upon the part of the United States—consequential action to our concession. The rebels have been, designedly we believe, assisted and encouraged by the presence of American warships in the neighborhood of the island.

"A continuance of this would militate against the pope's good offices, and against the hopes of peace.

"We know President McKinley has worked for peace; but an influence has been growing like a rising tide and it is now a question whether any barrier or embankment he would set across its progress would be strong enough to withstand its force.

"Spain has shown her willingness to secure peace by concessions to the last point consistent with her national honor.

"The future depends upon the power of the American government in controlling hostile public opinion."

MEDIATION OF POPE.

Nothing Known in Washington of the Step.

Unequivocal Denial From the Administration.

The Story That Was Sent Out From Madrid.

It is Pronounced a Spanish Bombshell—President's Message Will go to Congress Wednesday, It is Believed.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—President McKinley was up early today and in readiness to take up the serious work of the day.

The past few days have been very fatiguing to him and he has shown to some extent the effect of the numerous conferences that have occupied much of his time and the long deliberations preliminary to the labors of framing the eagerly awaited message to congress.

Today he appeared to be feeling well and moved about briskly with a cheerful countenance.

Assistant Secretary Day was the first public man to appear at the white house. He came about 9 o'clock and remained some time. Representative Grout, of Vermont, came very early by appointment with the president.

The interview between the president and Representative Grout lasted only a few minutes but it was long enough to allow a discussion of the situation and an outline of what General Grout proposed to do in several particulars at the opening of congress today. General Grout has drafted a resolution and a bill for introduction in the house today. One of these calls for the absolute removal of the Spanish flag from the island the recognition of the republic of Cuba and the distribution by this government of supplies to be sent by this country and paid for out of the $50,000,000 fund now at the disposal of the president.

The other is a bill appropriating $1,000,000 to raise the wreck of the Maine to ascertain in detail exactly what occurred when it was blown up. Chairman Cannon, of the house committee on appropriations, and Chairman Dingley, of the ways and means committee, were with the president for a few minutes. He congratulated the president on his good spirits, and advising him that the committee met today and asked if there was anything that he wished to communicate.

The president, however, had nothing to submit at this time, although he spoke in general terms of the requirements that war would precipitate on the country.

Senator Gray, of Delaware, a leading member of the committee on foreign relations, was closeted with the president some time and talked over the situation at some length.

Major Heisland, the president's military aide, and Representative Barrett, of Massachusetts, were at the white house for a little while during the early hours, but neither had a consultation with the executive.

Representative Barrett said he believed the best solution of the whole affair would be to submit to congress a proposition for the recognition of a republic.

That he advocated as a simple step on which congress would immediately act, and he expressed the belief that the recognition would work out its own ends.

The official statement emanating from the foreign office at Madrid as to papal mediation has received an unequivocal denial from the administration. Several persons who conferred with the president in the course of the day inquired about it and received the response that if the pope contemplates mediation this government knows nothing of it.

The chairman of one of the most important committees in congress, just after emerging from the executive chambers, promptly stamped the spanish statement of mediation between Spain and the United States as a Madrid roorback.

"Why should the pope mediate?" he suggested. "There is nothing to mediate. I don't believe the step is contemplated. Why, the Dietz is the only one who should be recognized to step in between the two. Why, I regarded the statement in such light that it never occurred to me even to mention it."

This member like others referred to mediation between the United States and not between Spain and the insurgents, the latter being a matter with which this country has no concern.

A leading administration member of congress, after a close conference at the white house today said:

"The message will go into congress about Wednesday. The president has taken a very firm and determined attitude and he means to carry out that policy to the letter. The president intends to recognize Cuban independence and may go further than that, and propose intervention.

"This is his policy and it will be disclosed in the official action very shortly."

THE MADRID STORY.

Some Details of the Alleged Mediation of the Pope.

MADRID, Sunday, April 3.—8:30 p. m.—(Delayed in transmission.)—Events are moving rapidly and the best informed people here believe an armistice between the Spaniards and Cubans will be proclaimed within two days.

The pope, it now appears, sent an eloquent telegram to the queen regent urging Spain to grant an armistice in Cuba, with the view of allowing negotiations to be carried on between the insurgents and the Cuban authorities for the early conclusion of a permanent peace.

The pope dwelt on the suffering in Cuba and urged that her majesty take action on humane and not on political grounds.

The Pope added that "as the father of all the faithful," he could not intervene unless a stop was put to the shedding of blood of the people who are God's sons."

Therefore, he asks for a suspension of hostilities.

Previous to taking this action, it is added, the pope, through a representative at Washington, asked President McKinley if it would be agreeable to him should the pope advise the queen regent to grant an armistice and it is understood the president expressed willingness that the pope should do anything in his power.

Since then the extraordinary activity of the ambassadors has been noted and it is claimed, as a result to all of the representations made to Spain on the subject, Senor Moret, the minister for the colonies who, throughout has been anxious to do anything to preserve peace, consistant with what he conceives to be Spain's honor, had an interview with the United States minister, General Stewart L. Woodford today (Sunday), at which he expressed Spain's willingness to grant an immediate armistice.

He pointed out that the only condition Spain asks in return is one "which America would grant even if unasked," and refers only to other action after Spain proclaims the armistice."

The United States minister was busy at the legation all day long, but the correspondent of the Associated Press saw Senor Moret at the colonial office Sunday evening. He confirmed the announcement made of the pope's mediation between Spain and the Cubans, and added that the suggestion did not come from the United States government, but from the pope direct. He added:

"I cannot say anything more on the subject as the matter is unsettled pending an answer from the United States."

Senor Moret's manner as well as that of General Woodford, conveyed the impression that they both believed that peace, for which they have so earnestly labored, will result from the present negotiations.

READY TO LEAVE.

General Lee Instructed to Turn American Consulate Over to British Consul.

NEW YORK, April 4.—A special to the Herald from Washington says:

Consul General Lee has been instructed to turn the American consulate over to British Consul Gollin and has already made the necessary arrangements with Gollin to do so.

This is a mere precaution in case General Lee has to leave suddenly. He is simply setting his house in order.

General Lee had a long conference with Consul Gillin, who courteously agreed to do everything in his power in case General Lee receives orders to leave, or is forced to seek refuge on the Fora with the other Americans by a sudden uprising of the Havana populace.

Consul Gollin will probably have his hands full if Havana grows violent as English residents will be regarded as Americans if the excitement is great. Consul Gollin however, believes active hostilities between Spain and the United States will be averted.

General Lee apparently has not abandoned all hope of postponement of immediate hostilities and his conference with Consul General Gollin, it is understood here, was due not to his intention of leaving, but merely to insure the fullest protection of the consulate and American residents should he be suddenly forced to abdicate.

General Lee, it is known on all hands, will stick to his post until it is folly to remain longer.

THOUSANDS MUST DIE.

Rev. Eugene May Reports the Conditions in Cuba Appalling.

WASHINGTON, April 4. — Rev. Eugene May, who has been traveling in Cuba, returned to his home here yesterday. His report of the conditions in the island differs in no essential detail from that of Senators Proctor, Thurston, Gallinger and others who have recently spoken and written on the subject. Dr. May says in addition: "The recent revocation of the reconcentrados order is a farce, as the people to whom it applies are too ill to work and have nothing with which to start had they the strength. Blanks have been issued to the starving wretches which are to be filled out with requisitions for whatever they need and sent to Havana. The mockery of it is in line with the farce of sending in the blanks. Nothing more is ever heard of them.

"The relief work is going forward rapidly in 210 towns, but there are between 50,000 and 100,000 reconcentrados who must die, however generous the relief, for they are already beyond help."

GEAKE CHOSEN.

Republicans Nominate the Stone Contractor for Mayor.

W. T. Jefferies Unanimously Nominated for Clerk.

Ex-Mayor Oakley Was Chairman of the Convention.

Julius Tonne, Frank Higgins and John Ferguson Were Selected as Candidates for Waterworks Trustees.

The republican city convention met in the city hall this afternoon with a fair attendance of delegates. Owing to the late arrival of many delegates the convention was not called to order until about 2:25 by W. E. Claphane, chairman of the county and city committees, who read the call for the convention.

Joe Lombard nominated Col. C. H. Oakley for permanent chairman and he was unanimously chosen. The ex-mayor was applauded and responded with a neat speech, in which he practically prophesied success for the ticket.

C. L. Archer nominated Chas. Lane, of the Gazette, for secretary, with reporters of other republican papers as assistants. Motion carried.

On motion of Dr. L. A. Worth, Will Book and C. H. Newton were chosen tellers.

Nominations for mayor were called for and J. B. Harper placed before the convention the name of William Geake. All the wards seconded the nomination of Mr. Geake, and on motion of Major Wilson he was made the unanimous choice of the convention. He was called on for a speech and said victory was assured if all republicans did their duty.

Enoch G. Cox placed the name of W. T. Jefferies before the convention for clerk and, on motion of John T. Leach, he was nominated by acclamation. Mr. Jefferies said that every move he made would be in the interest of the republican party.

H. A. Rogers nominated Capt. R. R. H. Harrison for waterworks trustee. Dr. C. B. Stonen nominated Frank Higgins, and George Solsley nominated Julius Tonne. W. E. Mossman nominated John Ferguson.

There being four nominations a ballot was ordered. The slate had been practically agreed upon and Messrs. Tonne, Ferguson and Higgins won by an overwhelming vote, Mr. Harrison receiving only forty votes.

A LARGE CLASS.

Thirty-two Children Confirmed at St. John's Reformed Church.

The following children were yesterday confirmed in the St. John's Reformed church:

Emma Balzer, Clara Ehrmann, Josephine Grotholtmann, Emilie Hockemeier, Gertrude Heller, Emma Junghoens, Bertha Lindemann, Martha Ludwig, Carrie Moeller, Jakob Koerber, Carl Krause, Heinrich Peters, Ernst Peters, Wilhelm Schone, George Welker, Lena Pester, Emma Rogge, Sophia Schaefer, Jennette Schmidt, Amy Solsold, Pearl Seabold, Clara Tigges, Emma Welker, Martin Altekruse, Arthur Altekruse, Paul Baumann, Frederick Engelmann, Heinrich Dierstein, Carl Guyer, Edgar Jakob, Wilhelm Jantz, Edward Junghans.

SUITS DISMISSED.

Mrs. Fahnestock No. 1 Abandons Her Case Against No. 2.

The suit of Fannie Fahnestock against her former husband, James Fahnestock, for $5,000 alimony awarded her by a Toledo court, was dismissed from the superior court here today. The suit of the same plaintiff against the present wife of James Fahnestock, for $5,000 damage, for alleged alienation of the affections of Mr. Fohnestock, was dismissed.

Today was the beginning of the April term of the superior court. A number of minor suits were dismissed.

UP TO NOW.

The Shoes That Are Up-to-Date Are Tiling's Shoes.

Big Easter Values All This Week.

Ladies' fine vici kid shoes, $2.50 kind, all this week at $2.

Ladies' $3.50 hand sewed shoes in black and tan, models of 1898, this week $2.00.

Ladies' $3.00 fine vici kid shoes, heavy silk vesting upper; the most up to date shoe in the city, $2.00.

20 styles in gents' $1.00 summer shoes, the celebrated Lewis A. Crossett make; best on earth, $2.00.

Men's fine dress shoes in tan or black, $1.00.

Boys' fine dress shoes, 90c.

Children's chocolate lace shoes cheap at 75c; sizes run 8 to 11; all this week at 50c.

Ladies' fine tan shoes, $1.00.

Ladies' tan and black lace shoes, big snap at $1.00.

Big sale of Easter shoes all this week at the Big Store.

Music all day.

Store open evenings until 9 o'clock.

S. B. Tiling & Co.,

No. 32 Calhoun St.

Large Red Boot.

C. J. WELKER,

SPECIAL EASTER SALE.

RIBBON NECKWEAR & SASHES.

For Easter we are showing a great many pretty new ideas in Ribbon Neckwear at 25c, 50c and 75c.
$2.50 Ribbon Sashes in all colors and black. Easter sale price $1.75.

EASTER RIBBONS.

Fancy Silk Ribbons, newest effects it stripes, checks, plaids and moires, 4 to 5 inches wide at 25c a yard, worth 35c.

GLOVES FOR EASTER.

Ladies' Kid Gloves, very soft and flexible, perfect fitting, in 2 clasp with fancy embroidered backs, in all the spring colorings, worth $1.00, at 75c a pair.

EASTER STOCKINGS.

25 doz. Ladies' Hose, black boot, colored tops, at 25c a pair.
25 doz. Ladies' fine black hose, full regular made, worth 22c, at 15c a pair. Children's Stockings at special prices.

Just received a new line of Laces, Embroideries, Handkerchiefs, Veilings, Corsets, etc., which we place on sale at special prices.

C. J. WELKER. 118 Calhoun St. Schmitz Block.

The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

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TONIGHT.

Democratic Primaries—From 3 o'clock until 7:30.
C. V. L.—Important meeting.
Revival Services—West Creighton Church of Christ. Rev. J. J. Higgs, pastor.
Religious Services—Christ's Lutheran church, corner Jefferson and Webster streets.
Carpenters' Union—Regular meeting at hall, 51 East Main street.
Lathers—Regular meeting.
Baptist Guards—Regular meeting.
Cigarmakers' Union — Regular meeting union No. 37.
Bricklayers' Union — Regular meeting.
Barbers' Union—Regular meeting.
Laundry Workers—Regular meeting.
Ladies G. A. R.—G. W. Stirk circle, No. 18.
True Blue Hall—Twelve o'clock social hop.
Lodges—Fort Wayne lodge, No. 14, I. O. O. F.; Phoenix, K. of P.; Ben Hur court, No. 16; Modern Woodmen No. 4761.

THE only way out for Spain is to back out.

THE Spanish out on the bleachers may have their noisy demonstration before the game is called, if they like. We in the grand stand will have ours after the ninth inning.

SPAIN finds that diplomacy, however, isn't worth a great deal when the other fellow is bound to have satisfaction or a fight.

WITH the announcement that the Spanish torpedo flotilla is not at Porto Rico, but is separated from that island by two thousand miles of salt blue sea, the belligerent feeling in Washington becomes noticeably more temperate.

IS WAR intelligence counts for more than the numerical strength of forces or the calibre of guns. In facing the soldiers of the United States Spain will meet armies that are superior to her own in every quality that makes one man better than another.

THE Massachusetts house of representatives has passed a bill abolishing hanging and substituting electrocution in capital cases. Electrocution is scientific, but it isn't literary. Hemlock would be a more approved form of capital punishment in the Bay state.

IN KANSAS the republican candidate for mayor was charged by an opposition orator with having recently been drunk. Mayor Jones, the offended party, at once hunted up the orator, landed on the point of his jaw in scientific fashion and the man went down and was counted out. It must be that more than one kind of reform wave is sweeping Kansas City.

THE progress of the Spanish armada to the western hemisphere recalls the historical incident that three centuries and ten years ago Spain sent an "invincible armada" into the British channel with malicious intent to put the English navy out of business in the first round. It was no slouch of an armada. It was gay with tinsel and banners and made a brave show as it sailed in confused procession to the north. At the mouth of the channel it encountered fearful storms and what the elements spared of the armada soon fell afoul of the English navy under brave Sir John Hawkins, a sturdy British tar who knew a think or two about sea fighting himself. What he did to the "invincible armada" was a plenty. The Spanish fleet was destroyed and the utter disaster to that enterprise marked the beginning of the decline of Spain's naval supremacy. When the Spanish armada, now at the Cape Verde islands, gets a few hundred miles nearer the American shore it will be eminently proper that history repeat itself.

Mrs. Thurston's Presentiment.

The ladies of the congressional circle at the Cairo apartment house, where the Thurstons lived, states a Washington letter, says that Mrs. Thurston had a remarkable presentiment that she would not return alive from Cuba, but nevertheless was determined to go and would not allow her husband to leave without her. A day or two before they left a number of ladies were sitting in Mrs. Thurston's room discussing plans and probabilities, when she informed them with the greatest seriousness that she did not expect to return, and desired to leave with them messages and commissions for friends whom she would not be able to see before her departure.

She even made a memorandum to assist the memory of one of the party, and the same afternoon collected all her jewelry and asked one of the ladies to go with her as a witness while she placed it in the safe in the office of the hotel. The package was addressed to her daughter with a loving message. While the yacht was tumbling and creaking in the midst of the terrible storm that it met off Cape Hatteras, Mrs. Thurston reminded Mrs. Money and Mrs. Gallinger of this presentiment, and ventured the doleful prediction that they would not reach land alive. When the yacht finally found shelter at Charleston and the demoralized guests disembarked, they laughed over her despondency. But she was not shaken in her opinion that she was taking her last journey and would never see Washington again.

War Powers of the President.

By the constitution congress alone has power to declare war. The constitution confers on the president the whole executive power. He is bound to take care that the laws are faithfully executed. He is commander-in-chief of the army and navy of the United States and of the militia of the several states when called into actual service of the United States.

The president has no power to initiate or declare war either against a foreign nation or a domestic state. He is authorized to call out the militia and use the military and naval forces of the United States in cases of invasion by foreign nations, and to suppress insurrection against the government of a state or states.

If a war be made by invasion of a foreign nation, the president is not only authorized but bound to resist force by force. He does not initiate the war, but is bound to accept the challenge without waiting for any special legislative authority. The battles of Palo Alto and Resaca de la Palma, in the Mexican war, had been fought before congress passed an act which recognized a state of war as existing by the act of the republic of Mexico." The act of congress not only provided for the future prosecution of the war, but was itself a vindication and ratification of the act of the president in accepting the challenge without a previous formal declaration of war by congress.

It has been judicially declared that the civil war commenced April 19, 1861, when the ports of the confederate states were blockaded by the naval power under a proclamation of the president bearing that date. Still, we know that hostilities commenced before that date, for on April 12, 1861, by the special order of the secretary of war of the confederate states, fire was opened on Fort Sumter. April 15 President Lincoln issued a proclamation calling forth the militia of the several states to the number of 75,000, and declaring certain states in rebellion. Still, congress did not "declare war" until July 13, 1861.

Thus it will be seen that while the president has no power to initiate or declare war, he is authorized to resist force by force, and to accept the challenge of any power to battle without waiting for congress to act.

BEN HUR ENTERTAINMENT.

Program to be Rendered at A. O. U. W. Hall This Evening.

The following program will be rendered at an entertainment to be given by Ben Hur court No. 15 at A. O. U. W. hall, on Court street, this evening:

Willow	A. S. Constable
Rondo	Miss Nellie Dwyer
Recitation	Mrs. Nellie Carter
Duet	Ben Hur quartet
Recitation	Miss Clara Bell
Vocal selection	Hazel Cooks
Recitation	Irma Metzker
Medley	Ben Hur quartet
Recitation	Orland Harter
Vocal selection	H. S. Vreeland
Violin trio	Harry Cauffman
Vocal solo	Leslie Wilhoy
Recitation	Mrs. Heaton
Music	Mrs. Grounds
Closing tableau	Carl Beasley

This is "Bill" Cramer.

Toledo Bee: "Bert Wood and Jack Cramer, who met in a four-round bout at the Champion Athletic club on Wednesday evening are matched to fight fifteen rounds for $100 a side. The decision of a draw given Wednesday night was purely a formal one and did not give satisfaction to either man. Hence this match. The date and location of the match have not yet been arranged."

THE GRIM REAPER.

Mrs. William Allgier Passed Away Shortly After Midnight.

Succumbed to the Ravages of Old Age—Death of Mrs. Joanna Carter—Funerals.

At 1 o'clock this morning occurred the death of Mrs. William Allgier, aged seventy-two years, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frances Zahn, 721 East Jefferson street. Death resulted from old age. Mrs. Allgier was born in Germany, but for about half a century has made her home in Adams township. About two weeks ago she began to feel badly and decided to visit in Fort Wayne. She came here and never again returned to her country home. Only three weeks ago Mrs. Barbara Seiler, a life long friend and neighbor of Mrs. Allgier, came to the city and she, too, died without again seeing her old home. Mrs. Allgier was the mother of six grown children, as follows: William, Anthony, Mrs. Frances Zahn, John, Edward and Andrew. She was one of the oldest members of St. Mary's Catholic church. The funeral will be held at 8 a. m. Wednesday from St. Marys' Catholic church.

CARTER.

Saturday afternoon, at No. 187 Jackson street, occurred the death of Mrs. Joanna C. Carter, of consumption. She was aged forty-three years, two months and twenty days. A husband and five children survive her. The funeral will occur Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock from the house and half an hour later from the Cathedral.

LEE.

Saturday night, at 11 o'clock occurred the death of Samuel Lee, sr., at the home of his son, Samuel Lee, jr., 170 Hoffman street. Mr. Lee was aged seventy-five years five months and eighteen days, and had resided in Allen county since 1873. He was born in Brook county, Va., and when a young man moved to Ohio, where, in 1861, he volunteered for three years in the service of his country, joining company D, Seventy-Eighth regiment, Ohio Volunteer infantry. On August 30, 1862, he was discharged from the service on a surgeon's certificate of disability. Mr. Lee leaves seven children, as follows: Edward L. Lee and Mrs. Lizzie Black, of Aboite township; Mrs. Sadie Heckler, Perrysburg, Ohio; J. M. Lee, Arcola; Samuel Lee, jr., Fort Wayne; Arnold Lee, Fort Wayne, and Mrs. Edith Weichselfelder. The funeral will occur Tuesday at 9:30 from No. 170 Hoffman street and at 10 o'clock from the Northside Mission, Rev. Ballinger officiating. Interment will be made at Ballard's cemetery in Aboite township.

GERKE.

Maria Gerke, wife of Louis Gerke, a wealthy farmer who lives in Wayne township south of the city, died Sunday morning, aged seventy-six years, eleven months and twenty-three days. She leaves besides her husband, who is quite ill, five grown children, three daughters, two married, and two sons. The funeral will occur Wednesday at 12:30 p. m., from the residence and later services will be held at the Lutheran church on the Piqua road, Rev. E. Yanke officiating.

KRAFT.

Minnie Kraft, aged twenty-three years, daughter of Frederick Kraft, died at 10:30 Sunday morning at the home of her father, 317 Lafayette street, of consumption. She had been ill for a long time and for two weeks her death was hourly expected. The funeral will occur Wednesday at 10 a. m. and at 10:30 from Zion's Lutheran church.

PETURK.

Amanda, the two-month-old child of Mr. and Mrs. David DeTurk, died of bronchitis at 10:30 Sunday morning at the home of the parents, No. 75 Richardson street. The funeral occurred this afternoon.

THE WEEK'S DEATHS.

The following is a list of the deaths reported by the undertakers of the city for the week ending April 2:

Sister Mary Petra, 20 years old, consumption.
Elizabeth Shelvey, 45 years old, cancer.
Isadore Miller, 2 months old, exhaustion.
A. J. Chandler, 70 years old, paralysis.
Edna C. Wass, 3 years old, brain fever.
Ernest T. Moss, 18 months old, lung fever.
Ida Klein, 3 months old, erysipelas.
Child of John Krautnor, stillborn.
David Kraus, 87 years old, old age.
Frederick Schneider, 72 years old, erysipelas.
Conrad Seidel, 60 years old, tuberculosis.
Child of Henry Furney, stillborn.
Child of John Fisher, 1 day old, exhaustion.
Frieda Grotner, 15 months old, lung fever.
Edwin Wiebke, 11 months old, lung fever.
Worth A. Kley, 7 years old, epilepsy.
Andrew McClure, 55 years old, dropsy.
Mary McClure, 57 years old, heart failure.

DEMOCRATS VOTING.

Primaries Being Held in the Several Wards This Evening.

At 3 o'clock this afternoon the democrats of the city commenced to vote for delegates to the city convention and candidates for councilmen. In some of the wards there is no opposition to certain candidates and a large vote will not be cast.

The city committee will receive returns this evening in the Sentinel building, on East Main street.

TO BLOW UP SHIPS.

Spaniards Sow Havana Harbor With Mines.

Forty More Floating Engines of Destruction Placed by Order of the Madrid Government.

They Command the Narrowest Part of the Channel—Uncle Sam's War Preparations go on.

NEW YORK, April 4.—A dispatch to the World from Havana says:

Forty floating submarine mines were secretly planted in Havana harbor last Wednesday night by the Spanish government.

This information comes from official sources and is absolutely correct. The mines were laid in the narrowest part of the channel between Morro and Punta, in two lines of twenty mines each.

They are spherical and float about twenty-four feet under the surface. Each is attached by an anchor chain to a heavy cable anchored on the bottom.

The detonating wires run up the chains. There is sufficient force there to paralyze the biggest ships afloat. But if any entering fleet should use counter mines or bow torpedos on approaching the narrowest part of the entrance to the harbor the mines could be exploded.

HARD TO GET.

United States Encounters Difficulty Buying Warships Abroad.

NEW YORK, April 4.—A dispatch to the Herald from Washington says:

"Orders have been cabled to Lieut. J. J. Knapp, commanding the torpedo boat Somers, purchased from Germany, to proceed to England and take command of the cruiser Diogenes, purchased from the Thames Iron works. The Diogenes is a cruiser of 1800 tons displacement, and will be used as a member of the second line of defense, for which purpose this government is purchasing a large number of yachts, and is converting them into torpedo boats.

"The Diogenes was originally built in 1882 for the Portugese government, but the Lisbon authorities failing to take her she remained at the Thames Iron works and was rebuilt during the last year.

"She has a speed of sixteen knots, some protection, and has an excellent battery for her size.

"Lieutenant Knapp, it is expected, will arrive in England on the Somers tomorrow or Tuesday and will immediately put to sea with the Diogenes. He will have command of both vessels on their voyage across the Atlantic.

"He will be directed to proceed with all possible dispatch to New York, so that the two ships will be out of the reach of Spanish cruisers in case war should be declared this week.

"The authorities admit that they are hunting for more vessels, but they seem to fear that their agent abroad will not be successful in getting any large vessels.

"There is a reason to believe that they hope to secure some torpedo boats during the present week. The Chinese torpedo boats under construction at Elbing and Stettin, Germany, have been inspected by Lieut. A. H. Niblack, the naval attache of this government in Berlin, but he has reported that they are not ready for sea.

"Lieutenant Sims and Commander Brownson are carefully inspecting the torpedo boats under construction in France and Italy and the department has reason to believe that their search may result successfully. No authority has been given to Commander Brownson to buy the steam yacht, which is under construction in Italy for the sultan of Morocco.

MAMMOTH EVAPORATOR.

Sent to Key West to Furnish Fresh Water for Warships.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, April 4.—A mammoth evaporator was shipped from this city today to Key West with orders from the government that it be rushed forward with all possible haste.

The evaporator will be located permanently at Key West for the purpose of supplying fresh water to war vessels.

It is guaranteed to distill 50,000 gallons of pure drinking water per day.

FRANCE IS NEUTRAL.

Former Ambassador Eustis Discusses the Situation.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—Hon. J. B. Eustis, former United States ambassador to France, was asked his opinion with reference to M. Hanotaux's declaration in the French chamber of deputies touching the Spanish Cuban question.

"I have no doubt," said Mr. Eustis, "that the declaration correctly represents the opinion of Mr. Hanotaux. Since this Spanish-Cuban question has become serious, the attitude of the French government has become one of extreme delicacy. Having frequently discussed the question with M. Hanotaux, I have always found his attitude as regards the Spanish and American governments was exceedingly proper.

"The French aristocracy and the Catholic party in France naturally strongly sympathize with the Spanish government as against the United States, but they have no voice in the French government today, and there is no doubt that the French government would be absolutely neutral in case of war between Spain and the United States.

"Mr. Hanotaux does not sympathize with either of these parties and they have not the slightest influence with him. He is a man of remarkable intelligence, an admirably equipped diplomat, always cool, knowing when to be firm or conciliatory, and the sincere admirer of our people and our institutions.

"He is equally friendly to the Spanish government and our government.

"The fact is that our government intends not to take any decisive action which would lead to hostilities, can discard any apprehension that any European power would take any active part against our government.

"Alliances in European politics have become so fashionable that they become a most important factor in settling any European question, but with us the case is different.

"No European power could have any possible interest in intermeddling in a question of peace or war between Spain and the United States."

"What do you think of the present crisis?" Mr. Eustis was asked.

"I think that we are unavoidably drifting into a war. From the moment that Mr. Cleveland and subsequently Mr. McKinley asserted the right of our government to intervene to stop the war in Cuba, I have never been able to discover any pacific solution of this question.

"I would deprecate a war with Spain. But it is evident that the present situation is becoming unendurable, and that the American people are determined that this running sore in our international politics shall be cured."

ALLOWAY IS HERE.

The First Base Ball Player to Arrive.

He is in First-Class Condition and Will be a Winner—Other Players Expected—Notes.

Alloway, alias "Klondike," was the first Fort Wayne base ball player to reach in the city, having arrived early Sunday morning over the Grand Rapids and Indiana railway. Alloway lives on the other side of the big flood and started early so as to be certain and get here on time. At Cincinnati he was compelled to ride in a bus from one end of the city to the other, the railways being unable to haul passengers. He is in the best of shape and having fired an engine during the entire winter is as hard as muscle can possibly be. "Klondike" says he will pitch better ball when over this season and if he does he will be in front again the same as last year.

Manager O'Meara has received word from Jack Sharp, who wants money to come in style, but the other players having failed to write, are possibly en route here.

CAMPBELL HERE, TOO.

At noon today Tom Campbell, who caught such great ball for the Fort Wayne base ball club, arrived in the city. Tom is in fine shape and weighs twenty or twenty-five pounds less than he did when he left Fort Wayne.

NOTES.

Joe Werrick has been appointed captain of the Mansfields.

Chic Cargo has signed with the Oswego team of the New York state league.

Willis, one of the Dayton pitchers, has been given his release by Manager Armor.

John Ganzel did not pan out with Pittsburg. There are two or three first basemen in the Inter-State who can play all around him.

Woodlock has notified Manager Whistler that he will not play ball this season and Springfield is hunting for another shortstop.

Manager Torrey son is corresponding with a National league shortstop. If he gets him Donahue is slated for release or for a move to a corner of the infield.

The Shamrocks will play the Fort Waynes April 10. Should it rain, tickets purchased for the game will be honored at any time thereafter that the Shamrocks can play.

Ed. Zimram, the Youngtown catcher, who did great work last season, attached his name to a Youngstown contract Saturday and the "fans" over there are happy.

The East Wayne Streets have organized with the following players: Pitchers, Charles Ford and Sam Walters; first base, Ed. Raben; second base, France Williams; shortstop, Red Springer; third base, Henry McCrosson; center field, John Bostick; left field, Henry Franke; right gold, Lou Black; captain, Henry McCrosson; manager, Henry Franke.

Manager Geer, of Youngstown, has the following contracts: Zimram and John Smith, catchers; Peter McBride, John E. Spears, William Martin, Irving Brodie and Joe Garvey, pitchers; Van Patterson, Arthur Ross, Hodge Berry, Ardian Cross, George Ross, infielders; James Cooper, James M. Grove, Ed. Fortney, E. C. Lundgren, outfielders. It is known that Captain Musser, Harry Jordan and Stein will also sign contracts. Work will be commenced in the field by the team on April 11.

PRIEST IS THREATENED.

Warned of Death Unless He Relinquishes His Pastorate.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., April 4.—Rev. Father Joseph Pribyl, pastor of St. John's Roman Catholic church, this city, received warning today that if he persisted in holding his pastorate he would be killed on Good Friday. The warning came through the mail and was written in scarlet ink.

The communication bears the signature of three men who have been prominent in the disturbances which have nearly wrecked the church. Father Pribyl was formerly the parish priest of the murdered miners at Hazleton, Pa., and was sent here for the especial purpose of subduing the discordant element.

The opposition to him is due to race prejudices and comes principally from the Slavs, who object to him because he is a Bohemian.

LOCAL LINES.

Charles L. and Wm. H. Carter have gone to Van Wert, Ohio, to lay a new tile floor in the court house at that place.

Miss Alice Federspiel, of New Haven, spent Sunday in the city the guest of Miss Anna Ehinger, of No. 30 Clinton street.

Drs. Drayer and Meyers have no tuberculin and will be compelled to postpone test of mere dairies until a new supply is received from Professor Bitting.

The Hibernian Rifles will drill tonight. A business meeting will be held after the drill, when new applications for membership will be acted upon.

Chairman Eggemann, of the board of works, was at Swinney park this afternoon arranging for the building of a bicycle track. A new entrance to the park will be placed at Jefferson street.

The action of Big Cy Swain in refusing to sign a Washington contract on account of salary offered will probably land him on a farmed hand in the Atlantic league. President Wagner has so decided.

Major J. E. Miller, who is here to muster in the militia companies, was the guest of honor at a dinner party given by Mrs. F. G. Olds, of 45 John street, yesterday. Major Miller will go to Huntington tomorrow.

John J. Higgs, pastor of the West Creighton avenue Church of Christ, will conduct a series of gospel meetings at the church every night this week. M. K. Griffith will sing a solo each evening. These meetings will be very interesting. The subject this evening will be "Apostolic Doctrine." Service to commence at 7:30 sharp. Come to these meetings.

There will not be a meeting of the Morning Musical this week, but on Monday afternoon, April 11, a piano recital will be given in the Fort Wayne club to the members of the society. Each member will be entitled to invite one resident of the city as her guest and out of town guests are always admitted on invitation by some member of the society. The pianist for the occasion will be Leopold Godowsky.

THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, April 4.—Wheat—May, $1.05¼; July, 85⅝@85⅞; Sept., 77⅞; Dec., 77⅛.

Corn—April, 33⅝; May, 30⅝; July, 30⅞@31; Sept., 32.

Oats—May, 25¼; April, 25⅛; July, 23⅞.

Pork—April, $9.80; May, $9.87; July, $9.97.

Lard—April, $5.30; May, $5.32; July, $5.37@5.40; Sept., $5.45.

Ribs—April and May, $5.25; July, $5.35.

Barley—Cash, No. 2, 36@42.

Rye—Cash, 50½; May, 50¼@50¾.

Flax—Cash, $1.21; N. W., $1.22½; May, $1.23; Sept., $1.12.

Timothy—April, $2.50.

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On the theory that "seeing is believing" John A. Smith of Milwaukee, wants everyone to first try his remedy for the cure of rheumatism, at his expense. To that end, he proposes to distribute 15,000 free sample packages to all persons sending him their name and address. Mr. Smith had for years suffered all the agony and torture of rheumatism, tried all the remedies known, and yet utterly failed to find relief.

At times he was so helpless that he had to take morphine and after considerable doctoring with leading physicians, who were unable to help him, he gave up in despair. He began studying into the causes of rheumatism and after much experimenting and repeated failure, he finally found a remedy which cured him in a few days. The result was so beneficial to his entire system, that it was such a glorious escape from the clutches of rheumatism that he called his new found remedy Gloria Tonic. Those of his friends, relatives and neighbors who were subject to rheumatism were next cured and Mr. Smith concluded he would offer his remedy to the world. But he found the task a difficult one. Nearly everybody had tried a hundred or more remedies, just as he did, and they couldn't be made to believe there was such a thing as a cure for rheumatism. But an old gentleman in Seguin, Tex., Mr. Berkram, wrote him saying if Mr. Smith would send him a sample he would try it, but as he had suffered forty-one years and wasted a fortune on advertised remedies he wouldn't buy anything more until he knew it was worth something. The sample was sent and the results were astonishing. He was completely cured. This gave Mr. Smith a new idea and ever since that time he has been sending free sample packages of Gloria Tonic to all who may apply. It cured H. Bechole, 70 years old, of Norborne, Mo., after suffering 25 years. In Regina, N. W. Ter., Anton Bengert was laid up nine years. A sample of Gloria Tonic was the first relief he ever got and three boxes entirely cured him. Thomas Callahan of Harvard, Ills., suffered continually four years and was cured by Mr. Smith's remarkable remedy. At Indian Ford, Wis., Friedericke Arnold aged 66 years, suffered 12 years. Nothing ever relieved her until she tried Gloria Tonic. She was cured completely. At Pittsburg, Ind., a druggist was cured after 33 years suffering. John Carston of Belton, Tex., had planned to give his wife a trip to Germany, but she was taken with an attack of rheumatism and the trip abandoned. But she tried a sample of Gloria Tonic, got some more, was cured and went to Europe rejoicing. She is a firm believer in Gloria Tonic. Mrs. Porsche of Amsterdam, N. Y., believes Providence directed her to Mr. Smith's remedy. She was nearly insane from the intense suffering from rheumatic pains and was entirely cured. Thousands of other instances could be related where this magical remedy has cured rheumatism. In case your druggist does not have it, it's well worth anybody's time to send their name and address to Mr. Smith and he will send a trial package of Gloria Tonic absolutely free of charge. If you have a friend, or acquaintance, a neighbor or relative suffering from rheumatism send for a trial package and give it a test. It is a remarkable remedy and there is no question but what it will cure any case of rheumatism no matter how severe or how long standing. Send your name and address to John A. Smith, 243 Summerfield Church Building, Milwaukee, Wis.

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DANNER RESIGNS.

Well Known Passenger Conductor Retires.

The Wabash Company the Victim of Burglars, Who Rob a Safe at Defiance.

Robert M. Danner, one of the best known conductors in the passenger service on the Grand Rapids and Indiana road, tendered his resignation last Saturday and the same has been accepted. No cause for the resignation has been assigned, but it is understood that Mr. Danner contemplates engaging in business in the near future. He was probably one of the most popular men on the road. His legion of friends will be surprised to hear of his resignation. Thomas Malone, who has long been in the company's employ, will succeed Mr. Danner.

HAD A THUMB MANGLED.

Leon R. Griffin, of Poplar street, had the misfortune to have the thumb of his right hand badly lacerated last Friday while operating a rip saw at the works of the Star Plating and Manufacturing company, on South Broadway. During the disability of Mr. Griffin, his place in the shop will be filled by Henry Kronemiller, of Taylor street. The Star people are enjoying a big business at present.

FREIGHT HOUSE SAFE ROBBED.

Captain Stoll, of the Pennsylvania police, this morning received a telegram from Chief Detective J. B. Sollitt, of the Wabash, stating that the safe of the company's freight house at Defiance, Ohio, was blown open last night and rifled of its contents, which in part consisted of cash and stamps. The thieves are believed to have come this way, and if they did they will soon be captured. The message did not give the extent of the loss to the company, but it is probably considerable.

SHOPMEN HELP A POOR WOMAN.

A collection was taken up in the Pittsburg machine shop this morning for the benefit of a poor woman residing at Hadley who wants to move to this city and engage in the laundry business. The men responded freely and the woman left the shop with a light heart and a well filled purse. Her main support, a son less than twenty years old, was employed on the road, but for some time has been unable to work on account of sickness. This incident illustrates the generosity of the kind hearted shopmen when their sympathies are enlisted in the interest of some unfortunate.

PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE.

Al. Pelgambrink, an electrician employed at the Jenney power station, is celebrating the advent of a son at his home.

Robert John, Nickel Plate engineer, is sick and off duty.

John Edelman, of the Pittsburg car shop, is sick and off duty.

Engineer Charles Merriett, of the Nickel Plate, is off duty on account of sickness.

John Rupp, a blacksmith in the Pittsburg shops, is off duty on account of sickness.

Joseph Coardery, of the Anthony Wayne works, is off duty on account of sickness

Conrad Aumann is again at work in the Pittsburg planing mills after a two weeks' sickness.

Nickel Plate Firemen Charles Houser and Harry Blackburn are taking a brief vacation.

Pittsburg engine 205 was turned out of the shops today and No. 140 was taken in for repairs.

Manager Briggs, of the Traders' Dispatch, will remove his headquarters from Buffalo to Chicago May 1.

Jacob Hilgoman, who had been at Baltimore in the interest of the Electric corporation, returned home last night.

J. M. Kress, who had a carbuncle on his right hand, reported for duty at the electric works this morning, after an absence of a week.

C. C. Chase has become auditor of the Chicago Junction railway. He was formerly agent of the Lake Erie and Western at Lafayette.

Walter Rodman, a member of the Pennsylvania's police, was taken sick at Warsaw yesterday and had to return home on No. 8 last evening.

Mrs. George Waggenman, wife of the machinist at the Bass works, and her children have gone to Indianapolis to spend a month with relatives.

Daniel Bovelheimer has resumed his duties as watchman at the Broadway crossing of the Pittsburg, after a week's lay off to attend to some private business.

During the month of March the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers disbursed $58,500 to the heirs of deceased members and to those who were crippled.

Master Mechanic B. Fitzpatrick, who has been troubled with a bad cold for the past week, a portion of the time being confined to his house, is attending to business at his office again.

Engineer C. C. Weaver, who is said to be the longest in service of any of the engineers on the Pennsylvania railroad, is supposed to be fatally ill at his home in Harrisburg, Pa.

The steam hammer operated by James Trythall and M. H. Morrison, in the Pittsburg shops, is idle on account of the furnace being broken down and the men will also be idle a day or two.

B. Lobenthal, a fireman on the Wabash road, is in the Peru hospital, suffering from injuries received by being struck by a switch post while he was standing upon the steps of his engine.

Louis Lassoubop, night baggage master at the Wabash depot, is having improvements put upon his house on DeWald street, which when completed will add much to the beauty of the premises.

The Wabash has closed a contract by which it is to haul 1200 cars of meat monthly to eastern points for one of the Kansas City dressed meat houses. It is to be supplied at the rate of forty car loads per day.

Joseph Hogoprather, of the Rhinesmith and Simonson factory, has returned to work after an absence of several days on account of an addition to his family. His wife presented him with a son last Friday.

The Pennsylvania lines have been given the contract to carry the members of the naval reserve to New York from St. Paul, Duluth, Milwaukee and Chicago, moving them at different times on its regular trains.

There is sorrow in the hearts of the employes about the Wabash depot and freight house, due to the sad fate which overtook the office cat. Pussy was run over and killed Saturday night by a Pittsburg freight train.

Chief Engineer Kittredge, of the Big Four, in eighteen hours after a span of the bridge over the Little Miami river, 190 feet long, was swept out by the recent flood, had another structure up and trains moving over it.

All trains from the east on the Nickel Plate Saturday night and Sunday bore evidence of the snow storm which raged in eastern Ohio and parts of Pennsylvania that night. At Cleveland there was a fall of two or three inches.

A belief prevails that with the coming of the 1st of May the fast train service between Chicago and Denver, instituted a short time ago, will end, the differential ordered as a result of Chairman Caldwell's ruling making it unprofitable to run these trains.

About the middle of this week General Manager Loree, of the Pennsylvania lines west of Pittsburg, and John F. Miller, general superintendent of the Southwestern system, will start on an inspection of the lines which suffered from the late high waters.

A. C. F. Wichman, who has been on an extended tour of the western states in the interest of the Anthony Wayne Manufacturing company, returned home last evening. He reports business good and brought home many orders for washing machines.

John and Tine Krotsinger, former foreman of the planing mills and the latter operator of an axle lathe, resumed their respective duties in the Pittsburg shops this morning. Tine had been afflicted with pleurisy and had been off duty a week.

W. F. Beardsley, master mechanic of the Allegheny shops of the Pennsylvania lines, has had his jurisdiction extended to cover the Erie and Ashtabula division. Theodore N. Kucher, of this city, who was appointed Mr. Beardsley's assistant, has not yet assumed the duties of his office, but will do so this week.

Engine 700, on the Big Four, on Thursday broke all records by hauling 1,612 tons of freight from Kankakee to Indianapolis at an average speed of twenty-two miles an hour. A locomotive on the Pittsburg hauled over 2,000 tons from this city to Chicago last fall, during the tests then being made by the company.

A Pennsylvania and a Lake Shore train had a race between Englewood and Whiting, twelve miles, last Friday. During the entire distance the trains were side by side, despite the efforts of both engineers to beat. The passengers enjoyed the race greatly and waved hats and handkerchiefs at each other. The Pennsylvania train was much the heaviest.

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers will hold their biennial convention in St. Louis May 11, and the meeting will be one of the most important ever held by the order. The question of federation with the other railway orders will then be definitely settled. The order is nearly equally divided upon this question and the struggle will be bitter to the end.

Freight wrecks had become so numerous on certain parts of the Chicago and Eastern Illinois that orders have been given that freight trains on such parts of the line run on a much slower schedule. In one place where the run was made in eighteen minutes the time is lengthened to thirty minutes, and at other points a slowing down of freight trains has been ordered.

The Santa Fe has inaugurated a cut freight rate between Kansas City and Chicago, the reduction being ten and one-half cents per hundred pounds. This cut is understood to be for the purpose of "getting even" with the Wabash, which recently made a contract with a Kansas City house which had hitherto shipped over the Santa Fe. The Chicago, Burlington and Quincy may be drawn into the trouble before a settlement is effected.

Hoodlums at Pierceton, Ind., are causing the Pennsylvania company considerable trouble at present. Last night the boys stoned the limited, No. 2, breaking six windows in a Pullman sleeping car. The police department will make an effort to bring the rascals to justice.

E. T. Konsill, a locomotive engineer employed by the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific road, with headquarters at Chickasha, I. T., is circulating among old friends in the city and will remain here two weeks. He is taking a months' vacation, a portion of which he has spent in Pennsylvania. Mr. Konsill lived here twenty years ago and was a conductor on the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago road for a long time.

LABOR TROUBLES.

Five Thousand Chicago Carpenters Quit Work—Cotton Mills Operatives Strike.

CHICAGO, April 4.—About 5,000 union carpenters struck here today, and with the exception of public buildings which were not interfered with, work on nearly every building in course of construction in the city is at a standstill. The reason is a controversy over a rule of the Carpenters and Builders association forbidding union carpenters working for any one not a member of the Carpenters and Builders association.

COTTON MILLS OPERATIVES STRIKE.

NORWICH, Conn., April 4.—The employes of the Ponemah Cotton mills went out on a strike today. Two thousand hands are employed and the workmen in all departments except the carding and spinning rooms went out to the number of 1,100. The strike was in consequence of a 10 per cent. reduction in wages.

HITS STANDARD OIL.

Supreme Court Enjoins Ohio Company From Gas Waste.

ANDERSON, Ind., April 4.—Judge McClure issued a permanent injunction Saturday night against the Ohio Oil company operating in this county on the grounds of gas waste. He also fined the company $500 for waste.

This action was upon the recent decision in the supreme court of the state upholding the constitutionality of the Indiana anti-gas waste laws and the sections providing fines and punishments.

The Ohio Oil company is the Indiana agent of the Standard. The attorneys served notice that they would file a bond and appeal the case to the supreme court of the United States on a writ of error.

This is the first time the Standard has ever been given a set back by a supreme court.

OFFER TO FIGHT.

Hibernian Rifles Tender Their Services in Case of War.

The Young Soldiers Voted Unanimously in Favor.

Captain Ford Sent a Telegram to Governor Mount.

Company B, Third Infantry, Will be Mustered Into the National Guards—The Fort Wayne Guards.

The Hibernian Rifles will fight for the stars and stripes in case war is declared with Spain.

The Rifles held a meeting in Library hall yesterday afternoon and voted to a man to offer their services to Governor Mount. Speeches were made to the young patriots by Captain J. H. Rohan and Patrick Ryan, both of whom were soldiers in the civil war. There were ten married men at the meeting and their patriotism was just as strong as that of the single men. Not one of them was opposed to the proposition to offer the services of the company. Captain J. E. Ford sent the following telegram to the governor:

Governor Mount:

The Hibernian Rifles of Fort Wayne, at a meeting this afternoon (to a man) offer their services to you in case of war.

J. E. FORD, Captain.

WILL MUSTER IN.

Captain Reese has been busily engaged since Saturday in filling out enlistment papers for applicants to Company B, Third infantry. Many of the men were examined by Drs. Siver and Barnett yesterday and today. Tonight the company will be mustered in by Major J. E. Miller, who was sent here by Adjutant General Gore.

The Fort Wayne Guards drilled at Lakeside park yesterday.

ASK FOR GUNS.

As a result of a conference between Governor Mount, General McKee and Lieut. May, held Saturday in the state house, a telegram was sent the secretary of war asking for six modern field pieces for the use of the batteries of the Indiana national guard. The guns owned by the Indianapolis light artillery and the other two batteries of the Indiana national guard are old-fashioned in design, muzzle-loaders, and it would be dangerous to shoot them with solid shot. In case of war Captain Curtis has anticipated that modern guns would be furnished, but it was decided Saturday to have the batteries at once placed upon a footing equal to the infantry in equipment and the telegram was sent. If the new guns are not sent the modern, breech-loading pieces which are now in use at Purdue and DePauw universities will be transferred for the use of the guard.

Governor Mount also appointed Superintendent Frank Darlington, of the Pennsylvania road, master of transportation, with the rank of colonel. Mr. Darlington will have entire charge of the transportation facilities for moving troops to the point of mobilization in case of war, and his appointment will save much time due to the red tape which otherwise would be necessary to deal between the state and national officials and the railroads.

The Indiana guard is now ready to go at a moment's notice. Every detail has been attended to in anticipation of a call to arms.

The regiment wagons are stored in the basement of the state house with the other equipment; 3,000 blankets, all new and good enough to throw on the finest beds are stored for the guard; the guns are thoroughly cleaned and overhauled, the medicine chests for the hospital corps are filled; the signal corps equipment is in position, and the guard is ready to be mobilized in this city within four hours after the call to arms is received.

The governor has not received an order from the war department as to the probable use of the guard, but he takes it for granted that anticipatory measures are being taken for granted by the war department and that it will expect the governors of all the states to have the guard ready to go at a moment's notice.

Lieutenant May, of the regular army, has requested the secretary of war that he be assigned with the Indiana guard in case of war. All the members of the governor's staff have volunteered their services and all military and semi-military organizations in the city have placed themselves at the disposition of the state authorities. Nothing remains to be done but to answer the call when it comes.

The Humane Society.

Humane Officer Schlaudraufl makes the following report for the month of March:

CHILDREN.

Abandoned or neglected	[illegible]
Beaten or abused	[illegible]
Destitute families	[illegible]
Number of children in destitute families	[illegible]
Homeless	[illegible]
Having improper homes	[illegible]
Incorrigible	[illegible]
Imbecile	[illegible]
Taken to county orphan home	[illegible]
Wife beating	[illegible]
Taken to feeble minded school	[illegible]
Prosecuted for failing to provide	[illegible]
Prosecuted for wife beating	[illegible]
Fathers neglecting families	[illegible]

ANIMALS.

Beating or whipping	[illegible]
Overloading	[illegible]
Driven when galled or lame	[illegible]
Deprived of necessary food or shelter	[illegible]
Cases reported at office	[illegible]
Not substantiated	[illegible]
Warned	[illegible]
Prosecuted	[illegible]
Convicted	[illegible]
Suspended	[illegible]
Animals taken from work	[illegible]

The Bartenders' union yesterday held a largely attended meeting. They decided to purchase the furniture formerly owned by the Bookkeepers' association, and will probably lease the room in the Tri-State building occupied by them. The union also decided to give a grand ball at Randall hall on the last Thursday evening in April.

Trading With Prestige.

"Mrs. De Scramble had to move out of our neighborhood."

"What was the trouble?"

"She ate cards. We found out she had made salted almonds out of peanuts."—Detroit Free Press.

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No. 13,914.

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By virtue of an order of sale, to me directed and delivered by the clerk of said court, in the above entitled cause, I have levied upon and will expose for sale by public auction, at the court house door in said county, between the hours of 10 and 4 o'clock p. m. of the 23rd day of April, 1898, the rents and profits for a term not exceeding 7 years of the following described premises, in Allen County, Indiana, to-wit: Lots 111, 121, 122 in Lakeside Park addition to the City of Fort Wayne, Allen County, Indiana, excepting so much of lot numbered one hundred and twenty two (122) as is described as follows, commencing at the south east corner of lot numbered 122, thence westerly on the south line of said lot 40 feet, thence northerly 8 feet to a point on the south line of St. Joe Boulevard 16 feet west of the northeast corner of said lot, thence easterly sixteen feet to the said north east corner of said lot, thence southerly to the place of beginning.

And on failure to realize therefrom the full amount of the judgment, interest thereon and costs, I will at the same time, and in the manner aforesaid, offer for sale the fee simple of the above described premises. Taken as the property of the defendant to satisfy said order of sale.

ALBERT E. MELCHING,
Sheriff Allen County.

Abel, attorney for plaintiff.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR MAYOR.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for mayor, subject to the decision of the democratic city nominating convention, April 5, 1898.
HENRY P. SCHERER.

I hereby announce that I will be a candidate for the office of Mayor, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.
WILLIAM GEAKE.

FOR CITY CLERK.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for city clerk, subject to the decision of the democratic city nominating convention.
HENRY H. MOSSING.

WATERWORKS TRUSTEE.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for water works trustee, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
P. J. SINGLETON.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for waterworks trustee, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention, Tuesday, April 5, 1898.
C. H. WALTEMATH.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for the office of water works trustee, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
WM. TOEPFFER.

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for the office of justice of the peace, subject to the decision of the Wayne township democratic nominating convention.
HARRY F. FRANCE.

FOR SENATOR.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I am a candidate for state senator, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention of Allen county.
GEORGE V. KELL.

FOR JOINT SENATOR.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I am a candidate for joint senator for the district composed of Adams and Allen counties, subject to the democratic convention of June 1, 1898.
J. F. SNOW,
Decatur, Ind.

FOR SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for judge of the superior court of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention of June 1.
CHARLES M. DAWSON.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Announce that I am a candidate for the nomination for the judgeship of the Allen superior court, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
THOMAS E. ELLISON.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—I hereby beg leave to announce to the democratic party of Allen county that I will be a candidate for nomination for judge of the superior court of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic convention to be held on the 1st day of June, 1898.
ROBERT LOWRY.

FOR CLERK.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for the office of clerk of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic county convention.
DR. L. S. SHILL.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Announce that I am a candidate for the office of county clerk, subject to the decision of the next democratic nominating convention.
FRANK J. BELOT.

FOR COUNTY AUDITOR.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for auditor of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
LOUIS J. BOBILYA.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for auditor of Allen county subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
WILLIAM MEYER, JR.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce the name of Captain John H. Rohan as a candidate for treasurer of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention, and oblige
A HOST OF DEMOCRATS.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for treasurer of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
ADOLPH SCHULTE.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for treasurer of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
A. E. SCHNITKER,
New Haven, Allen Co., Ind.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for treasurer of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
WILLIAM SCOTT,
Lafayette Township.

FOR COUNTY RECORDER.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for recorder of Allen county, subject to the decision of the next democratic nominating convention.
FREDERICK FRY,
Jefferson Township.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for recorder of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
CHARLES W. SCHERER.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for recorder of Allen county, subject to decision of the democratic nominating convention.
CHARLES M. GILLETT.

FOR CORONER.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I am a candidate for renomination for the office of coroner of Allen county for a second term, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
JOHN H. KAPPEL, M. D.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I am a candidate for the nomination for the office of coroner of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
DR. W. W. BARNETT.

FOR SURVEYOR.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for the office of surveyor of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
JOHN A. RUSHMAN.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for surveyor of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention June 1st.
CHARLES W. BRANSTRATOR.

FOR SHERIFF.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for renomination for a second term for the office of sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic county convention.
ALBERT E. MELCHING.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I am a candidate for the office of commissioner of the Third district of Allen county subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
C. E. ORFF.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I am a candidate for renomination for the office of commissioner of the First district of Allen county subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
SILVANUS F. BAKER.

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LOST—In postoffice building, a Pennsylvania relief book, with name R. R. Southern. Finder return to 26 East Wayne street and receive reward.

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WANTED—The Klondike Co-operative Gold Stake Mining company, No. 145 Ashland block, Chicago, Ill., wants five or more men that can give good references and buy $300 worth of stock to join their next party leaving for the Alaska and Canadian gold fields April 15th; equipment, transportation and supplies furnished free for two years and one-half of all claims located.

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FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms at 105 East Berry St.

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FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 74 Barr street, opposite City hall.

FOR RENT—West Berry street, front rooms, near Ewing, very desirable. Address, L. A. C., Sentinel office.

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FOR RENT—Eight room house, centrally located, bath room, furnace, electric light; modern in every respect. Inquire at 40 Harmer St., cor. E. Wayne.

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A new and pretty line of Stamped Doylies. Lower prices than you've seen them **1c, 2c, 3c, 4c, 5c, 6c, 8c, 10c EACH.**

Laundry Bags,

Now and novel—some ready, some to be worked, 25 up to 75c each. Pillow Tops and Table Covers—Stamped—made of fancy and plain Ticking. New lines picture frames, Shapes new and novel.

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Every Woman In Fort Wayne.

Every woman in Fort Wayne who wants to see several of the prize designs of Carpet for the spring of 1898, should come down to Court Street and in our big show window, see the wonderful display of Carpets made by our window dresser. The Moquettes shown are only $1.00 per yard, the Axminsters $1.10 and the Velvet Wiltons $1.50.

It's worth your while to come down town to see them, whether you wish to buy or not.

Oh, but we are doing the Carpet business this Spring in fine style. Our Carpet room is continually crowded. Trade in the forenoon when you can do so conveniently.

FOSTER FURNITURE CO.

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Money to loan on Fort Wayne City Real Estate at the lowest rates of interest. We have the money on hand to close loans at once.
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Loans made on Household Goods, Pianos, Organs, Wagons, Horses, Bicycles, etc., without removal or publicity, the property remaining in your possession. We have a NEW EASY PAYMENT PLAN which gives you a much longer time at a very low rate. If you are thinking of borrowing, call and we will explain same to you.
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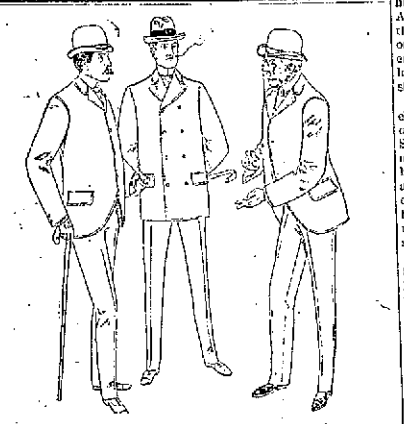

There Isn't a Man In Town,

No matter how lowly or high his station, but what would like a new suit for Easter. We are showing a most magnificent line of Spring Suits; suits that are rightly made and fit. A store full of surprises for you. Our men's suits from $10.00 to $20.00 will astonish you. Not the kind the cheap tailor makes, but the right kind. Correct styles and perfect in every respect.

Top Coats from $10.00 to $15.00. Some lined throughout with Skinner's pure dye silk serge. All made and trimmed right.

New Neckwear just received. Easter styles. See our handsome Puffs and Tecks at 50c. You'd think they were $1.00—they look it. Easter Hats and Gloves. Prices always lowest.

Our Boys' and Children's department better than ever. Suits and Top Coats for the little folks. Ages, 3 to 8 years, styles which are exclusive with us and cannot be duplicated at any other store in town. Prices are interestingly low. Quality supremely high.

League Balls, horse hide cover or patent steel knives given away with Children's Suits.

Garden Sets for the little fellows.

Standard Thermometers and Barometers given away with Men's Suits.

Sam Peter Max Brothers.
58 & CALHOUN ST.

The Evening Sentinel.

MONDAY, APRIL 4, 1898.

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The Weather.

Washington, April 4.—For Indiana: Rain tonight; Tuesday partly cloudy, with colder and rain in south portion; brisk to high northeast winds.

NEWS NOTES.

Rev. Dryer returned to Ann Arbor today.

Mrs. L. A. Confiyer has returned from a two weeks' visit in Chicago.

Mrs. G. L. Clayton goes to Indianapolis this week for a short visit.

The Modern Woodmen will hold a social at the Red Men's hall this evening.

Mrs. R. J. Fisher arrived home today, after several months' sojourn at Pasadena, Cal.

Mrs. C. H. Rant and children, of Auburn, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Mahurin.

Mrs. W. W. Mungen and Mrs. Bassett left Saturday for a visit in Richmond and Indianapolis.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Fry, of 16 East Taber street, is quite sick with tonsilitis.

The Woman's Christian union will meet at the Berry street M. E. church Tuesday afternoon, at 2:30.

Born, to Mr and Mrs. Joseph Miller, of South Calhoun street—a girl. Mr. Miller is salesman for Louis Fox & Co.

G. W. Davis, of Chicago, representing the L. A. W. Bulletin, and "Good Roads," was visiting prominent wheelmen in the city Saturday.

Vance Campbell and V. Post, of the Central Union Telephone company, have left for Bluffton, Ind., on a two weeks' vacation among some of their old friends.

The Misses Knight entertained Saturday afternoon at progressive hearts in honor of Miss Gorham, of Rockport, Ill. Miss Kate Beebe succeeded in disposing of the greatest number of hearts and was awarded the prize.

Some children playing about a barn on the Nimmeyer property on Madison street Saturday afternoon, set fire to the building. The department was called out but the blaze was extinguished before much damage had been done.

Arrangements have been completed for the match between Ed Connors, of Grand Rapids, and "Kid" Ryan, of this city. The event will take place before the Athletic club on next Friday evening. An interesting program has been provided for.

The smallest bicycle ever brought to Fort Wayne is on exhibition in the window of Mr. Barthold, agent of the Lithy and St. Julien wheels, in the Arcade. The wheel is ridden by Baby Barthold, aged only three years, and the wheels are only fourteen inches in diameter. The little rider has no trouble riding alongside a grown person.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Allen County Orphan's home will be held at the home on the afternoon of Tuesday, April 5, at 3 o'clock. It is a rule of the association that if any member or stockholder shall fail to be present at two consecutive meetings, unless excused by the trustees, his stock shall be forfeited.

The Saxon society of the city celebrated the Ninticth anniversary of the founding of their society Saturday night. The celebration occurred at the old Saengerbund hall on West Main street. It was a jolly crowd of Saxons that gathered at that place to make merry that night. Many of them wore antique and presented a grotesque sight.

Superintendent Johnson, of the School for Feeble Minded Youth, has received a letter from the attorney of the heirs of the late Mr. Spangler, of Auburn, informing him that the family has decided not to mortgage the old homestead so as to pay the school the $1,000 which was bequeathed it in the will of Mr. Spangler, but that they would give the cash. It is probable that the money will be used for the erection of a playhouse.

Carpets, Mattings, Rugs, Curtains and Draperies.

A few years ago we commenced to handle the above line of goods and our trade has increased from hundreds to thousands of dollars.

Wishing to eclipse former sales, we have laid in a larger supply than usual and hope the assortment will bear your inspection before buying.

CARPETS—Ingrains, 25c; half wool, 30c; best all-wool, 50c. Eight Wire Tops, 65c; Ten Wire Tops, 75c, and Best Moquettes, 90c per yard.

MATTINGS—A good one for 12c and Cotton Warp at 18c. Fancy, 25c per yard.

RUGS—A large assortment from the smallest at 45c and ranging up to $3.00 each.

CURTAINS AND DRAPERIES—All selected and latest patterns. A good pair for 75c and others up to $25.00.

Our charge for making and laying Carpets is 5c per yard.

FRIT HOUSE.

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Fishing Tackle.

Attention is called that the above line is the latest addition to our stock and the assortment is complete to satisfy the wants of all, with prices the lowest.

FRIT HOUSE.

Sergeant Harkcrider is taking his vacation.

E. M. Pettit, of Hicksville, Ohio, is in the city.

Miss Emma Dickover Sundayed with friends in Hunting'n.

Miss Helen Mohr is entertaining Miss Lillian Maynard, of New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Kimmel are at home at No. 25 West Williams street.

John Bain, of Montpelier, spent Sunday in the city the guest of friends.

A. F. Dodd and William Barfer, of Bellaire, Ohio, were in the city over Sunday.

S. L. Woods, of the Wood Tailoring establishment, spent Sunday in Lima, Ohio.

Bishop B. R. Jones will preach at the East Creighton avenue Free Methodist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Cupp, of this city, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Baxler, of Huntington.

Miss Clara Reese has returned from Lowell to spend the Easter holidays with her parents.

Christ's Lutheran church, corner Jefferson and Webster streets, will hold services this evening, at 7:45.

Mrs. George Parrot, of Warsaw, is in Fort Wayne visiting her mother, Mrs. Joseph Lungard. She will remain until after Easter.

Mrs. Ernest Schinecke, of Chicago, is visiting her brother, L. E. Rehling, of John street. She expects to remain home a week.

Miss Mary Culling, of Norfolk, England, arrived here Saturday and will be the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Harry Evans, of 20 Wilt street, for several months.

An urgent request has been issued that all members attend the meeting of the Union Veteran Legion this evening. Business of importance is to be transacted.

Miss Sosie Ferguson has gone to Sturgis, Mich, to spend several days with friends. She was accompanied by the daughter of F. E. Anderson, the mail carrier.

The Fort Wayne Bimetallic union will meet at the circuit court room this evening to select thirteen delegates to the convention of the bimetallic clubs of the Ohio valley, to be held in Indianapolis April 6 and 7.

The young men of the Cathedral fully organized yesterday and had their first practice. W. Lauer was elected captain, G. Eckart, assistant captain, and Mr. Fleming, manager. They have some of the best talent in the city.

A very enjoyable neighborhood party was given Saturday afternoon by Mrs. Charles Worden in honor of Mrs. Silver, of Columbus. The guests took their fancy work and stitched busily as they talked. Dainty refreshments were served.

The E'Hilanies enjoyed a dance at Sons of Columbus hall Saturday night. About forty young people were present. The chaperons were Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Fitch, Mr. and Mrs. A. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Freyer and Miss Mayme C. Fuller.

Officers for the ensuing year in the Current Literature club were elected at a meeting held with Mrs. C. J. Lose, last week, as follows: Mrs. Will Freese, president; Mrs. Arthur Hadley, vice president; Mrs. Howell Hanson, secretary; Mrs. M. C. Baker, treasurer.

E. J. Lemon went to Chicago last night and is expected home this evening with the chainless wheel invented by Harry Buell. The wheel will be placed on exhibition in the show window of the Randall Cycle Co., where Mr. Buell will explain to visitors its superiority over other chainless bicycles.

Thomas Beveridge, brother of Mrs. Thomas Phillips, of the north side, arrived in the city last Thursday, having made the journey by bicycle. This morning Mr. Beveridge left a wheel on route to Rochester, N. Y. He reports the roads in good condition for this season of the year.

Attractive invitations have been issued for an important and interesting quarterly meeting of the Young Women's Christian association, which will be held Tuesday evening. There will be a talk by Miss Shank, state secretary, music by the ladies' chorus and girls' branch, a drill by the advanced class in gymnastics and reports of work done during the past quarter.

The advertising for the R. G. Ingersoll lecture is the finest seen in Fort Wayne for years. Bill boards in different parts of the city are painted in colors announcing the coming of the eloquent lecturer and each advertisement contains an emblem of American patriotism. Col John A. Scott, who has charge of the advertising, has opened an office at 10 East Berry street, where today he was regaling his callers with fine cigars and sweet cider.

Patterson is the place to buy your spring overcoat.

Big Reduction

In price Canned Goods, Evaporated Apples and Holland Herring at The Greatest.

2 lb cans Gooseberries, 5c.
2 lb. cans, White Cherries, 6c.
2 lb cans Blueberries, 6c.
2 lb cans Green Gage Plums, 5c.
Evaporated Dried Apples, 7c lb.
Holland Herring, 8c a keg.

THE GREATEST GROCERY.

See the beautiful Easter Ties at Reuben S. Patterson's.

C. W. Boerger has removed his real estate and insurance office to No. 76 Calhoun street, over Wollmer's shoe store. 1-23

A close shave.

Ticket 38,261 is worth $10 at Reuben S. Patterson's.

Ira White, of Elkhart, is in the city.

Mr and Mrs. Perry Archer are in Atlanta, Ga.

Ben Meyerson, of Philadelphia, is at the Wayne.

Henry Meyer, of Meyer Bros.' hat store, is on the sick list.

W. P. Denny has returned from a business trip to Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs George Odar visited in Lafayette Sunday and today.

Mrs Emma Holloway, of Indianapolis, is the guest of Miss Lillian Fox.

Henry Teasler, of Nevada, Ohio, visited friends in Fort Wayne over Sunday.

Miss Margaret Ahern, of Valparaiso, is the guest of relatives in Fort Wayne.

Judge C. W. Watkips, of Huntington, transacted business in Fort Wayne today.

There will be a meeting of Home lodge No. 413, P. and A. M., tomorrow evening.

Miss Laura Peltier is expected in Fort Wayne this week to spend the spring vacation.

Miss Millie Flessinger, of Bluffton, is in the city the guest of Miss Lizzie Geary, of No. 40 Cass street.

Mrs. C. W. Passmore is lying seriously ill at the home of her niece, Mrs. J. R. Posner, No. 86 West Jefferson street.

P. B. McCabe and T. A. Black, of Vekol, Ariz., are at the Wayne. Mr. McCabe is an attorney in Vekol and is interested with E. J. Fisher in some mines in the west.

The Hod Carriers' union has received its charter from the Building Laborers International Protective union of America. The hitlers have also received a charter from the American Federation of Labor. Both these organizations are affiliated with the Trades and Labor council.

W. P. Smith, of the Smith & Randall Lumber company, received serious injuries Saturday. He was superintending the loading of a Wabash car, and in some manner lost his footing and fell to the ground. The ligaments in one of his legs were badly strained, and he was conveyed to his home, where Dr. Greenawalt is attending him. Mr. Smith will be confined to his home for several days. Only a few days ago his son was badly cut and is still receiving medical aid.

The quarterly meeting of the Young Women's Christian association, to be held Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock, promises to be of special interest. This is an important and interesting meeting, coming as it does at the close of the winter's work. Besides their reports, some of the committees will practically demonstrate their work. The girls' branch and ladies' chorus will both contribute music and the advanced class in gymnastics will give a short exhibition. An enjoyable feature of the program will be the singing of the Misses Evans and Harding. Through these meetings the members and friends are kept informed of the work of the association and it is hoped that a large number will be present.

Yesterday was palm Sunday, a feast of particular significance in the Catholic church. The day is set aside to commemorate the entry of Christ into Jerusalem previous to his crucifixion, when the populace hailed him with glad acclaim as a conqueror. The ceremonies commemorating his triumphal entry, are among the most beautiful in the Catholic liturgy. Previous to the mass the blessing of the palms takes place. Branches of palm, commemorative of the symbols of the conqueror carried by the people of Jerusalem in going to meet Jesus, are first blessed and then distributed among the people, to be kept as reminders of the proneness of humanity to render empty honors to God. After this comes the mass, during which the passion is sung, and this is a most impressive ceremonial. It is usually sung by three priests and is the story of the crucifiction, as related in the gospel of St. Matthew. One of the priests, usually the celebrant of the mass, chants the words spoken by Jesus, while another chants the narrative, and the third the portions of the sacred story quoting the other characters in the great tragedy of Calvary. The faithful usually have prayer books, with translations of the gospel, as sung by the priests in Latin. At the Cathedral the passion was sung during solemn high mass, at 10:30, and at St. Patrick's and the other churches at the usual hour for high mass.

A close shave.

LENTEN SERVICES.

Plymouth Church This Week—In Holy Places With the Master.

There will be special Lenten services held in the lecture room of Plymouth church this week, on three evenings and one afternoon. Each service will consist of appropriate responsive readings and hymns, and a short sermon by the pastor, Rev. Jas. S. Ainslie.

The topics and dates of each meeting are as follows:

TUESDAY EVENING, 7:30, APRIL 5.

"In the Guest Chamber:" the Place of Friendship. Mark 14:12-16; John 13:3-17.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, APRIL 6

"In the Garden:" the Place of Suffering. Matthew 26:30-46.

THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 7.

"In the Judgment Halls:" the Place of Injustice and Indignity. Luke 22:66-23:25.

GOOD FRIDAY AFTERNOON AT 3 O'CLOCK

"On the Cross:" the Place of Self-Sacrifice. Luke 23:26-46.

It is suggested that all who are interested in these services cut out this program and keep it for reference.

A close shave.

ATTEMPTED HOLD-UP

Three Men Tackle Fred Helling and Get Left.

Doublitte and Young Fight at Their South Calhoun Street Store—Police News.

Saturday night while en route to his home, Fred Helling, jr., was attacked by three men, who attempted to rob him. Fred was equal to the emergency and gave the fellows such a fight that they were unable to get anything from him, although one of his wrists was quite seriously cut. Mr. Helling went home and returned with his guns on a hunt for the desperate fellows who assaulted him. He failed to find them, however. The matter was not reported to the police.

PARTIES FIGHT.

Willis Doublitte and George W. Young, who conduct a grocery store and saloon at 292 South Calhoun street, came to blows Saturday night and were arrested by Officer Elliott. Doublitte had Young arrested for selling liquor without a license and Justice Bullerman acquitted Young, who went back to the store and had some trouble with Doublitte. They matter was patched up until about 8:30 Saturday evening when the partners quarreled and fought. The were taken to the city prison and released on bond, Attorney John H. Aiken representing Young and T. W. Wilson Doublitte. This morning Mayor Scherer continued the case until Thursday. Meanwhile Superintendent is carrying the key to the store, which is closed. Doublitte is carrying a badly bruised face.

POLICE COURT.

Two vagrants were before his honor, Mayor Scherer, this morning. One was released and the other sent to jail for fifteen days.

Lieutenant Lapp has compiled the following report of the arrests made by the police and detectives during the month of April, 1898:

Intoxication	17
Disorderly conduct	1
Assault and battery	2
Gambling	2
Assault and battery	1
Carrying concealed weapons	1
Violent gambling	1
Disorderly houses	2
Being found	8
Criminal prosecution	1
Deserting wife and children	1
Total	37

Tramps lodged in the police station during the month of March, 151.

WALL PAPER.

We invite you to call and see our new novelties in Wall Hangings for the spring. We have them all—BAGDADS, INGRAIN, DENIMS, ORIENTAL TAPESTRIES, all the deep shades in REDS, BLUES, GREENS, BROWNS, to match the new colors in carpets. All shades of INGRAINS, RAW SILKS, LEATHER EFFECTS, GINDELIERS.

Such a complete assortment cannot be found anywhere else in Fort Wayne, and this means you can be suited without question.

KEIL & KEIL,
116 Calhoun Street.

Mr. Vincent, First Presbyterian church tonight; topic: "James Russell Lowell."

You're Losing Time.

Spring isn't coming, it's here. Your Spring Suit is an imperative necessity now. Don't loose any more time. We have had your Spring Suit ready for you for some time—just the Suit you want, at a smaller price than you expected to pay. This is especially true of the

HORSE SHOE CLOTHING STOCK,

Which we are still selling at

One-Half of Regular Prices.

Friend's Clothing Store,
Calhoun & Berry Sts.

THE NEW SHOE STORE
86 Calhoun Street,

Will continue the remarkable bargain sale of fine shoes all this week. All $2.50 and $2.25 shoes, as well as any of Trethaway stock left over, all go at $1.98. Come and select your shoes. We have also a fine line of tan of all shades.

J. W. MAAG,
The Shoeman.

SILVER MEETING.

Tonight, at the circuit court room, the Fort Wayne Bimetallic union will meet to choose delegates to the convention of the League of Bimetallic Clubs of the Ohio Valley, to be held in Indianapolis, April 6 and 7. Those who expect or desire to attend the convention are specially requested to be present.

Neat and nobby are the patterns, and a perfect fit guaranteed, in our spring suits. G. Schmidt, Merchant Tailor, 70 E. Main street. 11tf

Buy your Lawn Grass Seed and Lawn Fertilizer of S. Bash & Co. 28tf

Union Workmen.

We have a shop full of them and are paying union rate of wages; no boys at $1.50 to $6.00 per week; that is why our bicycle repair work is always satisfactory. You may think our prices high but they are as low as we can afford to do first-class work.

COLUMBIA MACHINE WORKS,
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For Sale.

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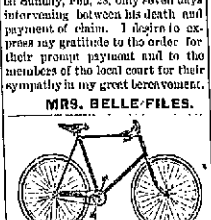

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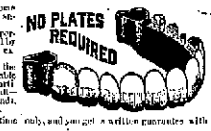

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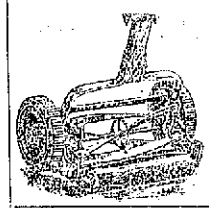

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